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JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Mitchell dropped Dodd income tax case to get senator's support; justice department uses double standard in handling bribe cases; senator Dobb juggled his vote in the juge Haynsworth showdown

Lilbourn Man Injured

LILBOURN — Mike Baughman, 20, driving a 1964 Ford Mustang, was injured in a railroad crossing accident at 11:38 a.m. today.

The Mustang was carried 441 feet. Baughman was taken to the Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Henry H. Heeb, 63, Chaffee, was the engineer of the Frisco freight train.

Rohan Ruled Insane

JERUSALEM (AP) — A special Israeli court ruled today that Denis Michael Rohan was mentally ill when he set fire to the Al Aksah Mosque in Jerusalem and ordered him confined to a hospital for treatment.

Presiding Judge Henry Baker said there was no doubt that the 28- year- old Australian set Islam's third holiest shrine ablaze Aug. 21, but that he acted on an "irresistible impulse" and was not punishable under Israeli law.

Rohan, sitting in the bullet-proof glass booth he occupied during 21 days of testimony and argument, blinked his eyes when he heard the verdict but remained seated.

The three- judge court gave Rohan 45 days to appeal the hospitalization order.

Rohan will be taken to the Talbiyeh mental hospital in Jerusalem. The Jerusalem district psychiatrist said a government psychiatric commission will review his condition from time to time, and if his mental state improves, it could recommend his release.

Rohan admitted setting the fire, but his attorneys denied criminal responsibility because of his mental condition. Psychiatrists testifying for the defense said he was an acute schizophrenic with "paranoid and grandiose delusions."

Three Accused Of Theft

CHARLESTON - Felony charges were filed in magistrate court Monday morning against Richard Leroy Clark, Billy Joe Garrett, and Willard Wilson, all of East Prairie.

The three are charged with breaking, entering, and stealing. The three are accused of attempting to enter the East Prairie Lumber Company the morning of Dec. 24 and failing to do so, breaking into a Coke machine and taking approximately $7.

They are free on $2,500 bond.

Three Injured

The New Madrid country road accidents resulted in three injuries.

Monday in Matthews, Jewell Gross went to Missouri Delta Community hospital, where she was treated for cuts on her forehead.

A 1965 Ford, driven by John Ernst, 19, Matthews, at 10:30 a.m. was struck by a 1966 Chevrolet, driven by Byron Hardin, 19, also of Matthews, the state patrol reported.

The Gross woman was a passenger in the Ford. The driver of the Ford was given a summons for failure to yield the right - of - way and for improper registration.

On Scott Street in New Madrid today at 1:45 a.m., two occupants of the car suffered back injuries.

Larry Pigg, 30, New Madrid, driving a 1958 Ford, struck a street island causing the car to overturn.

Both he and Buddy Kimball, 42, New Madrid, were taken to Missouri Delta Community hospital.

Record Highway Death Toll May Be Averted

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Missouri's traffic toll, apparently headed for a record figure at the beginning of December, now has a good chance of finishing 1969 short of the 1,498 lives lost in 1968.

The toll for 1969 stood at 1,490 today, just level with the 1,490 recorded at this date last year.

Scientists Say Continents Once Joined

WASHINGTON (AP) — Not so very long ago -- a mere 250 million years or so -- there was a huge land mass on the earth which consisted of what we now consider five continents and subcontinents joined together.

Exactly where this huge area was located is not certain, but it consisted of Africa, South America, Antarctica, India and Australia, stuck together like pieces of a huge jigsaw puzzle.

The latest authority for the theory is a four- foot salamander that liked to wallow in mudbaths with his highly placed nostrils and eyes poking above the surface-- sort of the reptile family's answer to the modern-day hippopotamus.

The National Science Foundation has received word that a newly discovered fossil of the reptile -- Lystrosaurus -- is positive proof of the previously speculative theory of continental drift.

Dr. Laurence M. Gould, scientific leader of Adm. Richard E. Byrd's first expedition to Antarctica in 1928, reported to the National Science Foundation recently the discovery of the Lystrosaurus fossil in the frozen wastes near the South Pole.

Gould and another geologist, Dr. Grover Murray, both of whom are members of the National Science Board which oversees the NSF, said the fossil was found in the first bed of reptilian and amphibian fossils discovered in the Antarctic.

Scientists have speculated Antarctica once was warm ever since the discovery of veins of coal in the remains of large trees were discovered along Beardmore Glacier, not far from where Lystrosaurus was found.

There was a striking similarity between the fossil vegetation of the glacier and that of India, South America, Australia and Africa, and a number of scientists became persuaded that those areas probably were joined together during the Permian period, about 250 million years ago.

Scientists explained the close relationship in vegetation by speculating there was a giant continent, linking what are left as land masses, which later below sea level and disappeared.

Others imagined a hypothetical land mass they arbitrarily named Gondwanaland, after the Gondwana region of India, and suggested the continents and subcontinents as they are known today just drifted apart.

But most geologists declined to accept the continental drift theory, arguing that vegetation seeds could easily have been airborne from one isolated land mass to another, without the need for land bridges.

But with the discovery of Lystrosaurus in the Antarctic, the supporters of drifting continents are on firmer ground. Similar fossils have been discovered in Africa and Asia, and it is not considered possible that the reptile could have traveled from continent to continent any other way than by land.

Explorer- geologist Gould said in his report to the National Science Foundation that the discovery of the reptile fossil in Antarctica has established the former joining of all the southern continents "beyond further question."

Bill Burlison Will Be Honored At Dinner

Congressman Bill Burlison will be honored at an appreciation dinner at the Ramada Inn Jan. 17, with a reception starting at 6 p.m. and the dinner at 7 p.m. Congressman Jim Symington will speak.

Lenzie Beck, chairman of a committee, in charge of arrangements announced that, due to the size of the district, it will be necessary to have more than one dinner, emphasizing that everyone is welcome but that the event was planned for the counties of Scott, Stoddard, Mississippi and Cape Girardeau.

Tickets for the event are on sale for $10 per person and sponsor tickets for any amount over $10.

Beck said:

"We in the 10th District have had strong and meaningful representation in Congress. Our district can be proud of Congressman Burlison's firm stand on the issues and his record in the 91st Congress."

Christmas Tree Pickup Thursday

The Jaycees will pick up Christmas trees Thursday between 5 p.m. and 6 p.m. Trees should be placed near the street for pickup.

Three Treated

Three were treated at Missouri Delta Community hospital Monday:

David A. Boardman, Cape Girardeau, caught fourth finger in exerciser cutting finger; Wilma David, Sikeston, cut hand on butcher knife; Jewel W. Gross, Matthews, car accident.

Weather

Travelers warning. Freezing rain changing to light snow and ending tonight. Lows in the 20s. Wednesday partly cloudy. Highs 35 to 40. Probabilities of precipitation tonight 60 per cent.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today were 37 and 29 degrees. Rain and freezing rain measured .60 of an inch.

Sunset today..... 4:51 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow.....7:12 a.m.
Moonrise tonight..... 11:29 p.m.
Last Quarter .....Dec. 31

The planet Mercury is now moving nearer the sun and growing dimmer. Next May, Mercury will make a transit over the disc of the sun for the ninth time in this century.

Industrial Developer Predicts Good Year Ahead for Sikeston

"I think 1970 will be a big year for Sikeston," Clem Beal, president of the Sikeston Industrial Development Corporation, told the Rotary club last night at the Rustic Rock Inn.

The corporation was formed in the 1950s to attract industries to Sikeston. Beal said that its activities are being financed from interest paid on $30,000 of city funds received in payment for a building occupied by Anchor Toy Corporation. There are 21 members.

"Sometimes we have as many as 12 industrial prospects here in a week," Beal said. "Prospects may return three times before making a decision."

Beal reviewed the work connected with inducing the National Lock Company to come to Sikeston and told how the corporation cooperates with a state agency to attract industry.

Beal praised "the three Sikeston banks" for providing interim financing for the National Lock property until funds become available from a bond issue.

"If we obtain one industry for every 75 prospects we are doing a good job," he said in relating keen competition for manufacturing plants.

Beal said that a rubber company decided to locate in Henderson, Ky., after members of his organization made a trip to California to try to get it to come to Sikeston. He said that this industry preferred a larger city than Sikeston.

"We have a good labor force available in Sikeston," he said.

The corporation has eight sites under option as possible locations for industry.

Beal was introduced by Don Bohannon.

Alex Waters, president of the club, reported that four food baskets were delivered to needy families at Christmas at a cost of $80 after an appeal was received from the city welfare office. The club voted to reimburse members who paid for the food.

Melvin Cokenour was a guest of Melvin McMackins, who was cited for attending 100 consecutive Rotary meetings.

Emily Bruce entertained at the piano.

Nixon Signs Tax Bill · But Warns Of Budget Balancing Measures

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon signed today the biggest tax revision bill in a generation, clamping down on many loopholes but also passing out more tax reductions than he had recommended.

But he warned that he will "take the action I consider necessary to present a balanced budget for the next fiscal year."

He also signed a landmark bill on coal mine safety.

Nixon's tax statement indicated the budget will be tight on expenditures, but was silent as to whether he will also recommend tax increases to make up for the revenue losses occasioned by the bill.

The bill contains several provisions benefitting taxpayers with incomes under $100,000, especially those at the low end of the income scale. It also includes an across-the-board increase in Social Security benefits.

In a written statement, Nixon said:

"Congress has passed an unbalanced bill that is both good and bad. The tax reforms, on the whole, are good; the effect on the budget and on the cost of living is bad."

Nixon said the bill favors spending at the expense of saving and "this will restrict the flow of savings to help build housing, to provide credit for small business firms and farmers, and to finance needed state and local government projects. It will make our fight against a rising cost of living more difficult."

He said, "I sign it because I believe that, on balance, it is a necessary beginning in the process of making our tax system fair to the taxpayer."

Asst. Secretary of the Treasury Edwin S. Cohen said that the bill would produce a net increase in revenues for the next two years but then drop into deficit.

Thereafter, he said, the reductions will begin to offset the gains and ultimately will level off at about $2.5 billion. But he said that if the growth in the economy is taken into account the losses in future years could be as much as $7.5 billion.

When the new tax law is fully effective, in 1973, more than nine million persons will be relieved of all tax by a low income allowance. A typical family of four in the $7,500 bracket would save about $170.

The higher Social Security payments are effective Jan. 1, but the raise, with retroactive payments, will first be felt in April.

The average retired couple will receive $196 a month, compared with the present $170.

In addition to the low income allowance and expansion of the standard deduction, individuals will receive tax relief through a gradual increase in the personal exemption from $600 to $750. Single taxpayers will get a break, moving their rates closer to those paid by married couples who split income.

The act reduces the oil and gas depletion allowance from 27½ per cent to 22 per cent.

High-bracket taxpayers, generally those receiving $100,000 or more a year, will be hit by several provisions. The principal one is a new minimum tax to be paid on large amounts of income that enjoy special preferences under the revenue code.

In addition, a number of preferences are trimmed directly, including hobby farming and some kinds of large charitable gifts of value-appreciated property.

High-bracket recipients of capital gains will pay more tax —the 25 per cent maximum would no longer be available on gains above $50,000. The maximum tax rate on corporate gains will go from 25 to 30 per cent.

New stricter rules are imposed on private foundations and their investment income is taxed at 4 per cent.

The bill also continues the income surtax at 5 per cent through June 30, repeals the investment credit for business purchases of equipment and continues present excise taxes —all measures for which Nixon asked.

$100 Fine, License Suspended

Frank Duckworth, 308 East Kathleen, was fined $100 in magistrate court this morning on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Judge John Hux ordered the defendant's driver's license suspended one year.

James E. Moore III, assistant Scott County prosecuting attorney, represented the state.

Virgil D. Foster, Dexter, was fined $50 for speeding. A no driver's license charge against Foster was dismissed.

A preliminary hearing for R. T. Woods and Sam Moore Jr., Sikeston, charged with felonious issue on a bogus $10 check to the Liberty Super Market, was set for Jan. 6.

Kenneth R. Wages, Vanduser, was fined $5 for careless driving.

Harold Ethridge, route two, Sikeston, was fined $20 for speeding.

Charles Wilson, Morehouse, was fined $10 for improper vehicle registration.

A preliminary hearing for Robert L. Brown, St. Louis, was set for Jan. 6 on a charge of felonious theft.

Four Charged With Careless Driving

Police this morning reported four have been charged with careless driving. They are Ronald Crawford, 217 Alabama, Robert L. Neal, Buckingham, Ill., Charles Baugher, Lee Street, and William McCoy, 111 Westgate.

Michael to Confer With Gilmore, Court

BENTON - Scott County Collector Aubrey Michael and Prosecutor Tom Gilmore are scheduled to meet tomorrow with members of the county court on a reported shortage of about $50,000 in the collector's office and additional bond coverage for Michael.

Thursday is the deadline for Michael to comply with an order from the county court to raise his bond coverage from about $450,000 to $750,000 because the collector has not been making regular daily deposits of receipts, Gilmore said.

Gilmore has said Gov. Warren Hearnes will be notified of a vacancy in the office if the additional bond coverage is not made.

Michael would not elaborate on the issue this morning, saying only: "We are gonna discuss the matter tomorrow."

A meeting was originally scheduled today, but one of the county judges is ill. Gilmore said he doesn't believe tomorrow's conference will be open to the press but added a statement probably will be issued following the meeting.

The shortage in the collector's office was reported following a reported strong armed robbery the night of Dec. 8 when deputy collector J. W. "Dub" Shuffit was in the court house.

More Inclement Weather Heads For New England

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

More inclement weather was expected to hit New England late today or tonight, according to the U.S. Weather Bureau at Boston. But the bureau said residents need not fear a repeat of the post-Christmas storm that left many areas still in trouble today.

A four-day storm that began late Christmas Day and continued through Sunday left some 60 inches of new snow in parts of Vermont and up to 50 inches in sections of central and western Massachusetts.

POW Terms Sought

PARIS (AP) — The United States handed North Vietnam a list today of U.S. military personnel missing in Southeast Asia and asked it to identify those on the list it is holding prisoner.

Ambassador Philip Habib, acting U.S. delegation chief at the Vietnam peace talks, also called on Hanoi to allow neutral inspection of its prisoner of war camps and then to negotiate an exchange of POWs.

Delivering the list of the missing to Col. Ha Van Lau, Hanoi's No. 2 delegate, Habib said at the 48th weekly session of the talks:

"My government is taking this action in the hope that your side, even at this late date, will indicate which men are prisoners and those whom you know to be dead, as a matter of humanitarian concern for their families.

"As for the physical treatment of prisoners, there is evidence that prisoners held by your side have been subjected to solitary confinement, as well as to other forms of physical and mental duress. Your side has made no systematic effort to repatriate sick and wounded prisoners."

Habib said the North Vietnamese apparently want to use the prisoners as "pawns in bargaining for an over-all settlement of the war."

North Vietnam's chief delegate, Xuan Thuy, is boycotting the talks to protest President Nixon's refusal to name a blue ribbon successor to Henry Cabot Lodge.

Habib's appeal for prisoner of war negotiations went unheeded by Col. Han Van Lau, who sat in for Thuy.

Ice Coats Streets

Residents in most parts of the Bootheel were greeted by a thin sheet of ice on roads and walks this morning. The highway patrol reported roads, particularly in the northern part of the troop E district, were slick, although the main highways were cleared some by traffic.

Blacktop roads in the area were extremely hazardous.

Streets in Sikeston were generally slick and sidewalks proved hazadous to pedestrians.

Numerous minor traffic accidents were reported in Sikeston. Several vehicles were reported to have left roads due to icy conditions.

The forecast called for additional freezing rain, sleet and possibly snow this afternoon and night.

News Briefs

Met Opens Belated Season

NEW YORK (AP) - The Metropolitan Opera finally opened on Monday night, despite as many past and present difficulties as an opera plot.

The opera season, delayed by a labor dispute, opened with "Aida." The Met had scheduled its opening 16 weeks ago.

The opera management and unions didn't agree on a new contract until two weeks ago.

Top "society" personalities were missing from the opening night audience which included Mayor John V. Lindsay, composer - conductor Leonard Bernstein and several U. N. diplomats.

Manson May Ask Defense Aid

LOS ANGELES (AP) - An attorney says Charles M. Manson now plans to ask for lawyers to help him represent himself when he comes to trial in the Sharon Tate murder case.

Luke McKissack, a lawyer who specializes in criminal law, told newsmen Monday: "Manson never said he wanted to solely represent himself, but he wants a voice in his own defense so the jury will get to know him."

McKissack said Manson will ask Superior Court later this week or next Monday to permit McKissack to argue the merits of joint counsel.

Warm Applause Greets Agnew

MANILA (AP) - Warm applause greeted Vice President Spiro T. Agnew today as he attended the inaugural of Philippine President Ferdinand E. Marcos.

Tight security accompanied Agnew's arrival for the outdoor ceremony, but as he left after the two-hour inaugural address a friendly crowd of Filipinos surged around him for a closer look.

Both when he was introduced upon arrival and later when President Marcos saluted him at the start of his inaugural address, the crowd of government officials and Marcos supporters applauded the U. S. vice president.

Officials Adopt Wait and See Attitude on New Draft Law

By CHARLES BRADY

The new draft lottery system law will become effective Thursday and selective service officials decline comment on its effect.

Draft officials at Charleston in Mississippi county and Bloomfield in Stoddard county were wary of making any direct statements until after the law goes into operation.

A selective service official at Charleston said that meeting of draft officials in Poplar Bluff cleared up many of the questions that she and other officials had concerning the new lottery system. The official refused to say what questions were answered or left unanswered.

Mrs. Calvin Nebel, executive secretary of the selective service at Benton in Scott county, stated in answer to a question concerning the new lottery drawing that will be held near the end of 1970:

"Only those boys that become 19 in 1970 will. be included in the drawing. Those who were 19 to 26 as of Dec. 31, 1969 will keep their original number."

Mrs. Clara St. Mary, executive secretary of the selective service in New Madrid county, said that a quota of eight men will be called by the New Madrid selective service under the new lottery system to be inducted Jan. 21 at Memphis.

Under the old draft system in the county, 10 men were called in January a year ago and four in December of 1969.

The draft official said that 13 will receive calls for pre-induction examinations for Jan. 21

Mrs. St. Mary said that the meeting at Poplar Bluff clarified the new lottery system and provided answers to questions that personnnel were aware of at this time. However, she said that because the new system hasn't functioned, it is believed additional questions or problems may arise later that will need to be clarified.

One draft board spokesman expressed the feeling that while it was generally believed if a draft vulnerable man were not drafted this year, he would more or less be virtually free of the draft and that this would not necessarily be so.

Under the new lottery system, men will be called in sequence of their birth date according to the random lottery selection list and may include men from 19 to 26.

A hypothetical case explained: A man 23 years old, who received a student deferment by signing SS form 104, a waiver of dependents, has now graduated from college. He has been reclassified as 1A and is subject to draft according to his birth date sequence, although he is now married and has a child.

Nineteen thousand men will be called in February in the nation, a sharp increase over the 12,000 January call.

Tax Reform Act to Bring Relief But Many Pay Checks to Be Smaller Next Week

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Tax Reform Act promises a brighter tomorrow for John Q. Taxpayer, but in fact, he may —and in many cases will—find a smaller paycheck next week.

Quirks in Internal Revenue Service figuring of withholding tables and the resumption of Social Security taxes for everyone earning over $7800 a year means some withholding amounts will go up instead of down when the new law takes effect New Years Day.

The largest change is the Social Security levy. The tax is collected on the first $7800 of a year's income. That point passed in October for people earning $10,000 and in the summer for people with $15,000 yearly salaries.

In many cases, the tax more than outweighs the fact that the new bill cuts the income tax surcharge to 5 per cent from 10 per cent.

The situation will change in July, when the law's provisions raising the personal exemption and the minimum standard deduction first take effect, and the surtax expires entirely.

But the law is so new that IRS hasn't had time to work out the bulky tables it needs to say how much any particular taxpayer will take home then.

But an IRS expert did figure the changes in withholding for three average families with yearly income of $5,000, $10,000 and $15,000, paid weekly. In each case he assumed the family consists of a man, his nonworking wife and their two children and that they take the minimum deduction of $600 each.

Because of "a mathematical quirk" in the complex formulas, IRS said, the man with a $5,000 salary, paid at $96.15 a week will have $6.10 in taxes taken out instead of the $5.70 deducted during 1969.

Added to this is $4.62 a week in Social Security taxes, but because his salary is below the $7,800 cutoff point, he paid that all year and there will be no change.

He will take home $85.43 instead of $85.83 but will be able to recover the extra 40 cents a week when he files for a refund at the end of the year.

If the man's yearly income is $10,000, his tax will drop to $23 a week from $23.70. He hasn't paid Social Security taxes for a couple of months, however, so he will have an additional $9.23 deducted, for a total of $32.23, and will take home $160.08 of his $192.31 weekly salary.

When income rises to $15,000 the difference is slightly more pronounced. Income tax will take a bite of $41 from the $288.46 weekly salary instead of $42.70 this year. Add to that, however, $13.85 for Social Security—not paid since summer— and takehome pay comes to $233.61.

None of the figures includes salary increases for extra deductions such as those for insurance, retirement plans or union dues.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!
HOLIDAY TRAFFIC

Although total traffic fatalities increase from year to year, it can be argued that driving has become progressively less risky. The National Safety Council reports 46,450 traffic deaths in the first 10 months of 1969, as compared with 45,000 deaths in the first 10 months of 1968. A more meaningful comparison, however, is between the fatality rates per 100 million miles driven in the two periods. The 1969 rate, the council says, is 5.2, a slight drop from 1968's 5.3 and 1967's 5.4.

But there is no blinking the fact that more Americans die in highway accidents every year than have been killed in the Viet Nam war to date. In the 12 months ended Oct. 31, 1969, there were 56,650 traffic fatalities in this country. This averages out to approximately 155 deaths a day. So the well publicized holiday weekend death tolls really are not much more alarming than the carnage that takes place on an ordinary weekend or weekday.

Roads and automobiles are safer than they used to be. The driver remains as unpredictable as ever. The drinking driver is of course especially dangerous. And since the Christmas - New Year season traditionally is a time of imbibing, to say nothing of crowded roads, the prudent driver will plan to travel cautiously if at all.

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The lady with 7 kids, asked how she coped with "em, replied: "we've a big house, a big yard, and I hide sometimes, too."

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MANY DON'T UNDERSTAND

According to the Citizens Public Expenditure Survey, Inc., New York, "... There is a place in the financing of governmental services for sharing federal tax dollars with the states and for sharing state taxes with localities. But that sharing is not a gift from a good fairy. Government has no money of its own. Every dollar it spends must be raised by taxes. There are a great many people who do not seem to understand that elementary fact of life. Perhaps it is because they like to think of government as a power which can give them the things they want at no cost to themselves..."

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GOODBYE TO THE SIXTIES

We have just passed the seventh decade of this - the Twentieth - Century. it was, as decades go, an unusual mixture of events. They ranged from tragedy to happiness.

The Sixties began with a presidential election year. Before the decade's end, four men had occupied the White House - Eisenhower, Kennedy, Johnson and Nixon. Two of those men would not see the end of the ten - year span.

The worlds of Jules Verne and H. G. Wells became reality during the Sixties. The United States was stunned by the fact that the Soviets managed to beat us in the orbiting of the earth. But before the end of the decade, Americans - not one, but four - were the only humans to have left their footprints on the lunar surface.

Many great personalities, including three presidents, died in the Sixties - Sir Winston Churchill, Eisenhower, Hoover, Kennedy, General Douglas MacArthur. The world of the motion pictures lost such greats as Clark Cable, Gary Cooper, Marilyn Monroe, two of the Marx Brothers, Judy Garland, and, perhaps, the greatest loss of all in the field of entertainment - Walt Disney. Opera lost Kirsten Flagstad. Catholics lost Cardinal Spellman and Pope John XXIII. Three astronauts died in a fire on the test pad - Chaffee, Grissom and White.

The underworld lost Lucky Luciano. And the Communists lots two heads of the CPUSA - William Z. Foster and Eugene Dennis. Che Guevara was finally stopped in his attempts to subvert Latin America. On the other side of the fence, Whittaker Chambers, who exposed Alger Hiss, died in the Sixties.

Assassinations were too often in the news of the decade. In 1960 the pattern was set with attempts on the lives of the heads of state of South Africa, Venezuela and Japan. Murders invaded the United States political scene, just following the assassination of South Vietnam's President Ngo Dinh Diem, with the murder of President John Kennedy by a Marxist. Political murders of the Sixties included Martin Luther King, Senator Robert F. Kennedy and Nazi leader, George Lincoln Rockwell.

Only the year to come can tell what noted personalities were born in the era just past. Some will be evil. Others will be great, and good. Some will move people foreward to a better world; others will be a detriment to society. It is awesomely apparent that in the coming years we are going to need men and women who will be great, and good.

Those born in the last decade whose lives will be dedicated to good, or evil, in the decades to come, are in our homes, and schools, and churches right now. Who, then, will determine the kind of a world we will have? (Do you have a mirror handy?)

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You're ripe for trouble when you're green with envy.

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Ben Franklin said it: "Children and Princes will quarrel for trifles."

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Herb Cathey says: "It's tough traveling behind someone who leaves no stone unturned."

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I AM A REACTIONARY!... I AM A REACTIONARY! .. I AM A REACTIONARY! ... I AM A

Considerable propaganda effort has been made over the past several years to give the word "reactionary" a dubious if not downright disgraceful connotation.

Our liberals would have you believe that a reactionary is a completely old - fashioned person who is seeking to stem the tide of progress and keep the hands on the clock stopped.

Ever since the Communist revolution in Russia the Reds have used the term "reactionary" to describe anyone who did not agree with their malicious schemes.

Recently, for example, the Russians, as their armies marched into Czechoslovakia, claimed that the Czech liberals were reactionaries. The Communist claim, in short, is that theirs is the "wave of the future" and that anyone opposing them is old - fashioned and holding back progress. Such persons should be relegated to the world's rubbish heap, they claim.

Regardless of the connotation given "reactionary" by our liverals and the Communists, it is comforting to know there are still some around.

Recently a Canadian, Patricia Young of Vancouver, British Columbia, wrote a letter to the editor of the Nashville Banner, which has been entitled "I Am a Reactionary." Her thoughts on the matter:

"Just for the record - and without apology - I Am a Reactionary! I react to sin and sadism, riots and revolution, gutlessness and godlessness! I react to hedonism and humanism; to philosophies and sophistries which seek to destroy those values which made this country great; which fashioned the fabric of civilized mankind.

"I react to dancing the permissive polka with those who'd whirl me all the way to hell while whispering that God is dead and the Devil a myth; to those ministers who'd convert my house or worship into a hootenanny hall or a political forum.

"I react to the emasculation of my faith in the name of humanistic togetherness; to my love for the Holy Bible, my loyalty to the flag, and my esteem for the police.

"I react to being scourged with the last of collective guilt - as if I personally poured liquor down the alcoholic's throat, peddled the heroin, mugged the little old lady, created the slum, and invented The Bomb.

"I react to the glorification of welfarism over work; pot over pink lemonade; The Pill over purity; demonstration over dedication; desire over discipline; nihilism over nobility; selfishness over sacrifice; hauteur over humility; 'rights' over right.

"I react to the portrayal of my American friends as 'Fascist Beasts' and Ho Chi Minh as Santa Claus; to those who consider love as nothing more than the sex act; who preach 'peace' to promote surrender. I react to student radicals who are so enamoured of their own worth that they must destroy all other worths - who are FOR nothing except their 'right' to be against everything.

"I react to the stupefying sentimentality of amateur do-gooders who, like carved wooden monkeys, see no evil, speak no evil, and hear no evil - even when it runs riot with a shotgun, Molotov cocktail, or plastic bomb; who would rewrite 'Little Red Riding Hood' to have her 'rehabilitate' the wolf while screaming 'hatemonger' at the rescuing woodsman!

"You'd better believe I'm a reactionary. In my book, it's time all responsible adults began reacting instead of suffering the insults and intimidation of a noisy minority who would sacrifice their own freedom and ours on the altar on atheistic materialism. If we did, the kooks and creeps would soon crawl back under their rocks, and this tired old world would have time to bind its wounds and regain its sense of humor."

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G. B. Greer confides that first a man learns to talk -- after many years he learns to keep still.

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We want to offer our congratulations to Gov. Warren Hearnes on his veto of the St. Louis area H.D.C. grant.

It is time that the taxpayers money is stopped being used in the defense and promotion of militant organizations.

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We had not seen the new Air Mail stamp depicting the landing of the first man on the moon until a post office employe handed us five of them when we asked for Air Mail stamps at the window.

Of course, stamp collectors know these unusual stamps will be very valuable later on and we understand some grandparents have purchased these stamps for their grandchildren, telling the youngsters to hang on to them.

It is a beautifully printed stamp and we intend to buy more of them for mail we will send friends and relatives around the world and the U. S.

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CHURCH MEETING!!!

TOMORROW

DECEMBER 31 - WEDNESDAY

GREAT FESTIVALS OF ST. SLYVESTER. Dec. 31. Funchal, Madeira Island.

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Students who go to a correspondence school, having no campus and no college buildings to sit-in, have decided to picket the postoffice.

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In reducing salon: "Let us help you win the losing game"

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"Careful, honey," cautioned one airline stewardess to another, "if you're carrying anything up front. They have the automatic pilot on."

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The world is in sorry shape when not even the U. S. Mint can make an honest buck.

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STIFFER STUDY GRIND AHEAD

"No more pencils, no more books ..."

That happy children's chant seems doomed to go the way of the little red schoolhouse if predictions voiced at the first annual educational planning conference at Auburn University in Alabama come true.

Tomorrow's students will be spending more and more of their lives in formal study. By the end of the century, said one speaker, educational systems will have been extended downward to include three - year - olds in all 50 states.

"Compulsory university education is coming also," said Dr. L. O. Haaby of the University of Tennessee. "This will be necessary because life will be so complex that the schools will be unable to do the job in the time they have at present."

It's a brave new world in the making, but a lot of folks may be just as glad they were born too soon to see it.

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NOW ARE YOU HAPPY?

If you find a mistake in this paper please consider it put there for a purpose. We try to publish something for everyone and some people are always looking for mistakes.

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Hoover Dam has been visited by more than 22 million sightseers.

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In locker room of country club: "Please drive carefully - last week three persons were hit by golf balls"

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"One thing I have learned in my long experience with the fair sex," said the sly looking one to his drinking companion, "is that you can't trust a woman with brown eyes!"

"Zounds!" exclaimed the other, "I've been married for two years and it just occurs to me that I don't know what color eyes my wife has."

He bolted from the bar and whipped home. His wife was in bed, asleep. Creeping closer he lifted her eyelid.

"Brown, by Gawd!" he roared.

Brown crawled out from under the bed and said, "How the devil did you know I was under here?"

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UNAFFECTED

The young interns were discussing theories about prenatal influence.

"Obviously, there's no such thing," scoffed one. "It's been disproved time and time again. For example, before I was born mother broke a huge batch of phonograph records, but it's never bothered me ... never bother me ... never bothered me."

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"My wife explored my pickets last night."

"What did she get?"

"About the same as any other explorer - enough material for a lecture."

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Dozer Operator to his girl friend: "Is my face dirty or is it my imagaination?"

Gal: "Your face is clean but I can't say about your imagination."

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The Army cook had just whipped up orders of fried eggs for a hungry group of soldiers. Wearied, he sat down, lit a cigar and wrote to his trusting sweetheart: "Darling ... for the past three hours shells have been bursting all around me ..."

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In hardware store: "Our bug spray will make your ants yell uncle"

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"I came out of the stock market with a small fortune."

"You must have been smart or pretty lucky."

"Nope, neither one. I went into it with a large fortune."

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A man, pinned underneath his overturned car after an accident, was asked by the policeman:

"You married?"

"No," replied the man, "this is the worst fix I've ever been in!"

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His first day in the Army, the recruit was issued a comb, and then the company barber shaved off all his hair. The second day he was issued a toothbrush, and then the dentist pulled all his teeth. The third day he was issued an athletic supporter, and he went A.W.O.L.

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Warning on a fence surrounding a fruit orchard: God help those who help themselves.

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CITIZEN GENERALS

There is no mystery why the Pentagon has been dismayed by attacks of ROTC at so many college campuses. The services would be in bad shape today were it not for a steady influx of college - educated officers.

According to Army News Features, the most recent figures show that 27.9 per cent of the Army's general officers received their commissions through ROTC. That's 145 generals out of a total of 519.

Of the 145, 82 are brigadier generals, 59 are major generals, three are lieutenant generals and one is a full general.

H.L. Hunt Says

TAKING A STAND

Recently a group of patriots organized Voices in Vital America (VIVA) to provide information to college students about communism and the farleft. This group is an excellent example of how the ordinary citizen can take a stand against subversion in this county.

One of the Southern California leaders of VIVA, a veteran of both warld wars, said: "Our educational instutions have been successfully invaded by the far left revolutionaries who would destroy this great nation from within."

He went on: "VIVA- Campus Studies has the answer by employing a student approach to the problem that no amount of legislation and governemnt can accomplish."

One of VIVA's projects is a "freedom caravan", a group of knowledgeable speakers who would tour the country, speaking to college and high school students. The caravan could also make use of movies and recordings to communicate its message of patriotism and freedom.

Another project is to provide information about the farleft to school libraries. Although much of this information is already available, not nearly enough of it is found in school libraries, where it is most needed. VIVA will see that schools obtain copies of such documents as FBI reports on subversion.

Plans are also underway for parades and rallies to be held on Independence Day. VIVA hopes to revive the custom of patriotic observances on this day.

The need to counteract farleft influence in higher education is obvious. The organizers of VIVA have devised one way of meeting this need. Groups of this kind can be invaluable in helping our young people to learn the truth about their country and the world. HLH

Doc. Duncan Says

Gramp what do they mean when they say the politicians is comin home to mend their fences?

You see they got the people fenced in on ever side wid unreasonable , unethical, unconsitutional laws and the grass in that carrel is gittin short and tough. So's the grass looks greener on the other side and the boys in the saddle is afered the people will stampede and bust that carrel fense like they did in 64 and 68.

Yep but what if they is some loco - weed mingled wid that green grass?

So what? Free pot wid good picking

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

COSA NOSTRA NETWORK:
Gov't Evidence Shows Mafia Controlling Hundreds of Local Unions

Washington, D.C.: -- No star is born in a prosecutor's office if he has to poor - mouth it and go, tattered hat in hand, seeking alms from the solons to smash organized crime. We hear much about billions of dollars to rescue the poor and help the working "stiff" but there is a clangorous silence when he talk turns to the pennies it would take to get the Mafia off the backs of the poor, or from the pockets of the working families, or out of the guts of the inner, or outer, city.

Bluntly, just why was it impossible to get $61 million from Congress this soporific year to finance what President Nixon has called "an arsenal of weapons" against La Cosa Nostra? Just why was $2 million kept from special teams gasping for the manpower needed to rescue networks of unions controlled by the underworld? Just who in Congress stalled these appropriations? and why?

These legislators were told confidentially that a special Labor Dept. bureau has identified at least 100 unions controlled outright by LaCosa Nostra -- mostly the Catena (Genovese) and Gambino families -- in the greater New York northern New Jersey metropolitan area. These re powerful in 25 major sectors of commerce and industry. They had the word of the Justice Dept. that there were other such pockets "around Chicago, St. Louis and Miami." They were shown evidence of gargantuan corruption, terror and extortion.

They were informed that the new Justice Dept. anticrime councils and strick forces desperatley needed specialists trained in labor investigations.

It can, and should be reported, that certain congressmen knew that the triphammer Northern New Jersey strike force, led by the 35 - year - old John Bartels Jr., had but one such labor specialist. And that the New York State Anticrime council, directed by a quiet crusader, Dan Hollman, had only one labor - trained agent.

The congressmen knew that these two forces alone had strong leads on corruption in the teamsters, on the waterfront, at the huge freight depots of metropolitan airports, in trucking transportation reaching right across the nation; and in construction unions working on billions of dollars worth of publicly financed projects.

Two men, count them, just two men are all that these public defenders had -- and have -- to probe an unbelievably intricate Cosa Nostra network.

And what's more,the entire Labor Dept. investigatory section, covering 50 states, now has but 183 such specialists. They must handle every facet of the Office of Labor - Management and Welfare - Pension Reports; union elections and the federal government's own relations with its employes. Under new federal directives, starting Jan. 1, and increasing tempo July 1 and Oct. 1, the U.S. itself will have to conduct secret balloting elections among its own employes -- and the Labor Dept.'s special Labor - Management Services Administration staff will have to handle and monitor these. Thus it is now in thee labor relations business.

All this - and over 70,000 local unions, too, any one of which can be a haven or Cosa Nostra account executives in charge of terrorizing labor.

"We do have some men in he strike forces," I was told by Assistant Secretary of Labor William Usery, in charge of Labor - Management Services, "but if we can't get additional money in some fashion, we will have to pull the specialists out of them for our regular work.

"It is very difficult for us to keep providing more and more personnel unless we bet that money. Just realize, we need three men or women for back - up pork in the Labor Dept. for each full - time special agent in the field."

He estimated athat an additional 80 men would do the trick. And that $2 million would finance the hiring, training and work with other law enforcement agencies in the Justice Dept.'s coordinated anticrime strike forces.

But Congress just would not get up the $2 million. There was pressure against it from within and without to hold out.

Finally diring the week of Dec. 15, Attorney General Mitchell conferred with Labor Secretary Shultz. The latter listened, left and poured on the heat. Mr. Shultz telephoned Senator Norris Cotton (N.H.) on Wedensday, Dec. 17. Mr. Cotton is the ranking Republican member of the Appropriations subcommittee on Labor Management affairs. He called on the committee chairman, Sen. Warren Magnuson (Wash.), whom some Labor's Dept. insiders have charged with a cold lack of enthusiasm over the $2 million suggestion. But this time he went along. Mr. Cotton added the money to the general "Labor - HEW" appropriation bill as an amendment. It went through the House - Senate conference.

But this is not the full story. Even if the money is finally approved , the Labor Dept. will get only part of it. The $2 million originally requested was to cover the 1969-1970 fiscal year, or from the past July lst to next July 1st. That's six months gone now. So at best what's left is $1 million. Since the money may not pour out until next February, even this will be shaven. So it won't be until next July 1, if then, that more than a handful of more than a booth - full of specialists can be trained for the gfight on the Cosa Nostra's own labor specialists.

Meanwhile the mob is in business as usual -- as usual using some locals to force food stores to stock inferior products; using locals to hike the cost of transportation, using locals to add millions of tax dollars to the cost of federal, state and local projects to help the poor, the ill - housed, the ill - clothed, he ill - fed.

Why does it always have to be so -- millions for tribute, pennies for defense against the mob?

Hal Boyle

By HUGH A. MULLIGAN
AP Special Correspondent

LONDON (AP) — Does London swing? Really swing?

Ever since BOAC, the stateowned airline, had to scuttle its swinging singles flights because of a frightful flap in Parliament, the tourist guides and bobbies on the beat have been understandably evasive of the question.

"London swing? Come off it. Why you can't get a meal in this town after midnight ... It's duller than Aberdeen," ventured Moira McKenna, from Aberdeen, who does the bossa nova, nude, while accompanying herself with twin bull whips at Soho's Nell Gwynne Club.

The silver haired gentleman dozing beneath his copy of the Times in one of the high ceilinged windows of an exclusive Pall Mall Club had the contrary opinion.

"Jolly right, it swings. You'd blow your mind at some of the carrying on around here: pot, mate swapping, group-ins—the lot. Some of the chaps can hardly wait till midnight to nip over to the chemists' for the next day's fix. On the National Health, you know."

Even the visible evidence is conflicting.

See the King's Road in Campy Chelsea at high noon any Saturday. The dolly birds in their micro-minis or kinky crocheted slacks sauntering forth arm in arm with the long haired lads in the owlish spectacles, long Edwardian frock coats and Al Capone fedoras.

For another view, see the barristers (or are they solicitors?) alighting from the underground at Temple Bar in their bowler hats, furled brollies and striped pants. Or pop along to Kensington Park and see the nannies pushing their prams in sturdy tweeds and sensible shoes.

Reassuring wot? Then you learn there is more here than meets the eye.

The chaps in the bowler hats, so the theater managers say, often outnumber the hippies on queues outside "Pajama Tops," "Hair" and the "X" films, the gamey ones where nothing is left to the imagination except the dialogue, which is in Swedish.

London swing?

The architecture is grey and depressing; the weather frequently frightful: fog, rains, bone rattling chills. Queues form for buses and movies. The great London pubs, those last bastions of communal bonhomie, suffer under the 11 p.m. tyranny of "time, gentlemen," with certain occupational exceptions. One can get a drink, late at night, in Covent Garden dressed as a truck driver, or, early in the morning, in Smithfield Market. In the land of Twiggy and the Beatles and the maxi-mini, ballroom dancing is still a most popular pasttime.

But the ads and the placards in the underground promise "pregnancy testing." "His and hers matching undies." "Unisex barber shop and beauty parlor."

London swing?

The morning tabloids recently interviewed a bevy of British actresses who professed to have no qualms about performing the sex act on stage "if it validly fitted in with the plot," and the BBC trying to mod up its staid old image, is about to launch a series of sex education programs for 9-year-olds.

London swing?

As Samuel Johnson, that mod old Londoner, said just before the Cheshire Cheese shut down for the night under the licensing laws, whoever is tired of London is tired of life.

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON -- The heavy hand of politics is leaning hard on the scales of justice. It is now evident that Attorney General John Mitchell, the passionless protector of law ans order, is putting politics ahead of the law.

Mitchell not only has dropped the income tax case against Sen. Tom Dodd, D-Conn., this column has learned that he has also made a deal with him not to press the other criminal charges hanging over his hea. The Senator, in turn, has pledged his vote to Mitchell on key issues.

There is abundant documentary evidence that Dodd accepted money and gifts from industries being investigated by committees on which he served; that he took money and loans from people for whom he obtained or attempted to obtain official appointments; that he took money and gifts from people for whom he performed official services; that he interceded with the federal government for his private law clients; and that he charged the government for trips that were essentially vacations.

In most of these instances, Dodd appears to have violated federal law. The Senate Ethics Cottimmee, uncomfortable about investigation a member of its own inner circle, delicately declined to go into these cases but referred them instead ot the Justice Department.

--DOUBLE STANDARD-

One specific charge was that Dobb had pocketed $8,000 in cash from the International Latex Corporation. In return for the money, he has supposed to seek a major ambassadorship for the board chairman, A.N. Spanel. The intrigue proceeded far enough for Spanel's Washington operative, Irving Ferman, to send Dodd a resume about Mrs. Spanel, which noted that she was "fluet in Italian and French."

Mitchell moved recently against International Latex, but as evidence of his deal with Dodd, the indictment, incredibly, didn't even mention Dodd by name. The Justice Department was content to accuse the company of paying off an unnamed Senator.

In contrast, Mitchell bore down hard on ex - Senator Dan Brewster, D-Md., for allegedly accepting a bribe from Spiegel, Inc., a Chicago mail - order house. Brewster didn't pocket the money but treated it as a campaign contribution. Yet the Justice Department indicted both Brewster and Spiegel.

The essential difference in the two cases is that the pathetic Brewster, broken in both health and spirit, has lost his political power. But Dodd is a pivotal member of the powerful Senate Judiciary Committee, which oversees the activities of the Justice Department.

Without him, the committee breaks down to eight conservatives and eight liberals. Dodd has always played ball with Chairman James Eastland, D-Miss., on such matters as internal security. But on other issues, Dodd's voteshave been more responsive to the liberal attitudes of the voters back in Conecticut.

--DODD'S VOTE JUGGLING--

Dodd's vote is crucial to Mitchell, therefore, on close - fought issues. On the two showdown roll calls in 1969, Dodd voted for the administration's anti - missile system and voted inside the Judiciary Committee to confirm Judge Clement Haysnworth to the Supreme Court.

Dodd voted against Haynsworth on the Senate floor, however, after waiting to see how everyone else lined up. It isn't uncommon for key Senators to withhold their votes on close issues until they are sure of the outcome. Not until Dodd knew his vote wouldn't be needed to save Haynsworth, in any event, did he join the 55 - to 45 majority against confirmation.

Significantly, Vice President Agnew left behind his tally sheet, showing how he had expected the vote to go. Among the yeas, nays and "doubtfuls," he had firmaly Marked Dodd in favor of Haynsworth -- evidence that Dodd's vote would have been available if it had been needed.

Attorney General Mitchell, in throwing out Dodd's income tax case, overruled the Internal Revenue Service which had recommended criminal prosecution. Revenue agents spent more than a year unraveling Dodd's tangled finances. They found bank accounts and personal loans all the way from Los Angeles to the Bahamas.

Their call for criminal prosecution not only was approved by both the regional and national IRS offices but also had the full support of Jon Newman, then the U.S. attorney in Connecticut.

However, President Johnson on he eve of his retirement appointed Richard Crane right out of Dodd's office as Newman's assistant. LBJ and Dodd were close personal friends and political allies.

From the day Crane moved into the U.S. Attorney's office, he has worked vigorously to get Dodd off the hook. His strong opposition to criminal prosecution may have had some effect on the Justice Department. But the final decision to drop all criminal charges was made by Mitchell essentially for political reasons.

Note: A Justice Department spokesman insisted to this column that Mitchell had made no deal with Dodd. Insiders, however, say otherwise.

Ann Landers

Ann Landers And The London Times ... On Trial

Dear Ann Landers: Your column which reported the marriage between two homosexuals in Rotterdam made a friend of mine very angry. He says he attended the wedding and it wasn't Rotterdam, it was Amsterdam. Furthermore, he insists the priest didn't actually marry the two gay boys -- they were guests at the wedding. While the priest was performing the service uniting the legitimate couple, the boys sort of married each other.

You claim you got the information from a London paper. Which one? I have a hunch your congratulations are premature. -- The Flying Dutchman.

Dear Dutch: The London Times. And I didn't congratulate anybody, I merely passed along the report as it appeared in this distinguished newspaper.

Dear Ann Landers: May I comment on Irked Ida's letter? She is the lady who didn't approve of her friend's dirty dishrag draped over the spigot. I could have kissed you when you told her to keep her pea-pickin' hands to herself.

I have a friend who practically rearranges my furniture every time she comes over for a cup of coffee. She goes through my magazines, throws out the ones she considers old, moves my lamps around to suit herself, changes the water in the goldfish bowl, combs the the fringes on my rugs with a meat fork, and polishes everything in sight. Yesterday she helped herself to a piece of candy from my cut glass bon bon box. After one bite, she announced, "This candy is old!" Then she dumped all the candy into the garbage can.

The woman has a heart of gold and would do anything in the world for me, but I can't stand much more of her take over ways. What can I do? -- Shreveport

Dear Shreve: There's only one way to deal with this revved up, super - octane cyclone.

The moment she makes a move, remind her that she's a guest in your home and that you hate to see your guests work. Tell her it makes you feel like a poor hostess. It's going to be a tooth - and toenail battle between her neurosis and your stubbornness. Lots of luck.

Dear Ann Landers: I think I can help the woman who complained about her husband giving her the silent treatment when he gets annoyed with her. She said he blows up over small things like if she forgets to put the cap back on he tube of toothpaste. When she ran out of beer he got so mad he clammed up for three days.

My husband used to act like that, too. It made me so nervous I developed red blotches all over my body and my hair began to fall out. My doctor said I needed psychiatric help.

When my husband saw the bills from the psychiatrist he suddenly began to talk a lot, like for an hour at a time. Finally I had to tell him to shut up. Then I noticed something strange. As soon as he began to talk, my blotches cleared up and my hair stopped falling out.

Please print this, Ann. It may prove something. -- Well Now

Dear Well: Your letter proves that talk is cheap -- or at least cheaper than psychiatry. It also proves that some women prefer critcism to silence. It is evidence that the guy at least acknowledges her presence.

If you have trouble getting along with your parents ... if you can't get them to let you live your own life, send for Ann Landers' booklet, "Bugged By Parents? How to Get More Freedom." Send 50 cents in coin with your request and a long, stamped, self - addressed envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Sned them to her in care of this newspaper, enclosing a self - addressed, stamped envelope.

New Arrivals

PROFFER — Mr. and Mrs. Tom Proffer of Matthews are parents of a girl born Monday in Missouri Delta Community hospital.

BRYANT — Mr.and Mrs. John Bryant are parents of a girl born in Missouri Delta Community hospital Monday.

ALCORN - Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Alcorn Jr. are parents of a son born in Missouri Delta Community hospital Monday.

DUDLEY — Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dudley of Scott City, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 3:08 p.m. Thursday. Name, Anita Jo. Weight 8 pounds 2½ ounces. Third child, first daughter. Mrs. Dudley is the former Miss Mary Ellen Doud, daughter of Mr. nd Mrs. Joseph Doud of Riverton, Ill. Mr. Dudley, who is employed by the MFA Insurance Co. at Dexter, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chick Dudley of Braggadocio.

ESSNER — Son to Mr.and Mrs. Paul Essner of Benton, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 7:15 a.m. Wednesday. Name, Curtis Michael. Weight 8 pounds 10½ ounces. Fifth child, third son. Mrs. Essner is the former Miss Geneva Seyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Seyer of Chaffee. Mr. Essner, who is a farmer, is the son of Mrs. Rose Essner of Benton.

In order to overcome the force of gravity, a spaceship must travel seven miles a second, or about 25,000 miles an hour.

Women's Page

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Beautiful, traditional Missouri Country Ham, for breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Missouri Country Ham Wins Winter Spotlight

There was a day in early Missouri when, for their own use, farmers had to preserve their hams. Smokehouses scented the hillsides while the ritual of preparing the treasured family formula of curing ingredients was taking place. From this past day necessity arose a present day delicacy -- Missouri Country Ham.

It seems that things from the past have a way of providing a certain reassurement to the members of this uncertain society. So, this winter, why not offer family, friends and business associates this unique product of Missouri.

There's nothing quite like our Country Ham. The lean and luscious pork along with the generous contributions of secret family formulas passed down provide a large economic asset for Missouri and a zesty flavored favorite known throughout the world.

Our curing ingredients, consisting of a blend of secret proportions of salt, brown sugar, black pepper and saltpeter, are rubbed over the surface of the ham before it goes into hibernation for a year or more. There is a new controlled temperature method of aging that takes four to six months to achieve similar aging results. It is normal and an indication of proper aging for Country Ham to mold. Whole hams need no refrigeration and will not continue to age properly if refrigerated. After approximately ten months of age, some Country Hams form white streaks through the meat that appear as white specks after it is sliced. These are not harmful to eat and are only an indication of a properly aged Country Ham.

During the curing and aging process, the Country Ham shrinks 15-25%. It is necessarily higher in price per pound because of this weight loss through loss of water. The processor also has a longer investment period and must charge for extra time and effort.

Well worth the price, the Country Ham is much richer and more distinctive in flvor than a regular ham.

How to Cook
Country Ham

Note: Country Ham is not fully cooked. It is important that it be cooked in an internal temperature of 170 degrees before serving. The meat thermometer is your most accurate guide to the degree of doneness and relieves you of guesswork.

To Boil: Wash whole ham thoroughly. Trim off any dark, dry edges. Soak ham in water overnight. Change water before boiling. Place on a rack in a kettle and cover with cold water. Bring to boiling point, then simmer, do not boil. Simmer until the thermometer registers 165 degrees. Cooking time-- 15-20 minutes per pound of whole hams. Let ham cool in the broth 4-5 hours. This is part of the cooking process and will bring internal temperature to 170 degrees. Serve cold as is or apply your favorite glaze. Be sure to slice your Country Ham in paper thin slices.

To Bake: Prepare Country Ham exactly as you did for boiling, being sure to soak it. Place ham, skin side up, on rack in an open pan. Bake until meat thermometer registers 170 degrees. Figure about 25 to 30 minutes per pound of whole ham. Remove skin and allow ham to cool slightly. You may serve as is or glazed.

To Fry: Place ham slices in shallow dish; cover with milk. Let stand for 30 minutes. Remove from milk; roll in flour. Melt small amount of fat in heavy skillet; cook ham slowly until tender and browned on both sides.

Graham Says He Attends Rock Events Incognito

HOLLYWOOD, Fla. (AP) — Evangelist Billy Graham says he often attends love-ins and rock festivals incognito so he can get a true picture of what's going on among today's young people.

"I sometimes put on a false moustache and a beard," he told newsmen Sunday after addressing some 2,500 young people at the Miami-Hollywood Rock Festival.

Graham, invited to speak by the festival promoter, said he found the experience refreshing.

"This is the way Jesus did it," he said. "He went to where the people were."

Graham spoke for about 20 minutes Sunday and got a mixed reaction.

The boys and girls sat on blankets in a muddy, strawstrewn field. Some listened intently as Graham urged them to "drop out of your present lives and turn on to the power of God." A few jeered and shouted obscenities, some talked quietly among themselves and a good number slept, exhausted by events the previous night when the last musical group quit at 4 a.m.

"I came prepared to be shouted down," Graham told newsmen, "but I was amazed at the polite way I was treated."

Graham received scattered applause when he mounted the makeshift stage. He got a larger hand when he finished speaking.

"I think this is a generation of tremendous young people," he said. "Many of them are deeply religious ... you can find it in some of the music if you listen hard enough."

He said he would continue to attend large gatherings of youths to spread the Gospel.

"I'll be happy to come to any rock festival where I'm invited," he said. "I feel I scattered some seeds here today."

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY:
Released:
James Lipsmeyer, Gideon;
Mr. Fay Frey, Flint, Mich.;
Glenda Lawrence, New Madrid;
Helen Ingle, Lilbourn;
Margaret Doris, Burfordville;
Mrs. Judy Brashears, and baby girl, Charleston;
Mrs. Judith Corbin and baby boy, Bloomfield;
Mrs. Joanne Estes and baby boy, Charleston;
Daniel Bom, Sikeston;
James Donner, Sikeston;
Charles Drewer, Sikeston;
Andrea Smith, New Madrid;
Mrs. Faye Taylor and baby girl, Lilbourn;
Mrs. Linda Masterson and baby girl, Sikeston;
Mark Wiggins, Sikeston;
Sandra Williams, Cairo;
DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted
LaVelle Smith, Dexter;
Joseph Whitaker, Dexter;
Lillian Orton, Essex;
Released:
Hattie Pullum, Dexter;
Alice Pullum, Essex;
Delbert Curry, Sikeston;
Lydia Vieth, Dexter;
Harold Alsup, Dexter;
Laura Jones, Essex

YOUTH WINNER — Susan Blackman, Baltimore, Md., models a long-sleeved cotton dress which won her first place in the youth division of the National Grange Cotton Sewing Contest. More than 50,000 garments were entered in the three divisions of the national sewing event.

WOOL TWEED, favorite fabric of clothiers for centuries, is now fashioned into current mod styles. Elizabeth Heather, a student at Three Rivers Junior College in Poplar Bluff, is wearing full flared slacks and a collarless maxi coat. The cowl neck, knit tunic is belted by a chain of rings. Her silver, metallic leather shoes accent the grays of the tweed. Miss Heather is seated on steps to a building in the original 'downtown' area of Sikeston.

DILATORY PATIENTS

Rochester, N.Y. — A study of heart attack victims reveals that it took the average patient more than three hours to make up his mind to seek medical help. Transportation to the hospital usually took an additional 20 minutes.

These findings tend to dash hopes that mobile coronary care units can make a sizable dent in heart disease fatalities, Drs. Sidney Goldstein and Arthur J. Moss, associate professors at the University of Rochester School of Medicine, point out, since the problem lies with human indecisiveness.

Furthermore, case histories of 160 heart attack victims show that the most stricken patients procrastinated the longest in turning to a doctor despite the fact that prompt hospitalization can be lifesaving. The investigators conclude that patients must be trained to recognize and react promptly to danger signals.

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Keglers' Korner

By HILDRED POOLE

Hello! I hope each and every one of you all had a nice Christmas. My mothers sister, my aunt Nona, is visiting from Alabama and our adopted son Jim Carney is back with us so we are quite happy.

With the holidays several leagues did not bowl last week and are not going to bowl next week either. Maybe when things get back to normal again everybody will really be shooting high. I hope so.

NEWCOMERS 12-9 (late report)

Sparettes 4- Hi- Lo's 0, Percolators 3- Peanuts 1, Professionals 2- Gutter Dusters 2.

Linda Pool rolled high game of 181 and Ginny Deane had high series with 477. The Sparettes took both high game and series with scores of 809-2319.

Splits: Marta Shaw 2-7, Linda Pool 4-5, Debbis Carpenter 2-5-8- 10, Linda Roberts 5-7, Alice Eddleman 5-7 and Emmelene Kerr 5-6.

NEWCOMERS 12-16

Gutter Dusters 4- Sparettes 0, Hi-Lo's 3- Percolators 1, Peanuts 2- Professionals 2.

Marta Shaw took both high game and series with 188-477. The Hi- Lo's rolled both high team game and series with 837-2376.

Bonnie Lindsey picked up the only reported split the 4-5-7.

TUESDAY HOUSEWIVES 12-16

Alley Cats 4- Winners 0, Rollettes 3- Whiffeys 1, Strickers 3- Ten Pins 1, Road Runners 3- Town and Country 1, Sparettes 3- Hecklers 1. Mary Moxley had high game of 211 and high series with a 563. The Alley Cats had high game and series with 1007-2952

DELTA IMPERIALETTES 12-16

Security Natl Bank 4- Reiss 0, Lee's 3- Sikeston Driving Range 1, Barketts 3- Micholeb 1, Imperial Lanes Rest. 2½ - Portageville 1½, Zieglers 2- Harts 2.

Doris Brown rolled high game of 229 and Norma Baker had high series with a 542. Lee's had high team game and series with scores of 1101 - 3034.

Splits: Doris Brown 5-7, Carol Bollinger 5-7, Virginia Little 5-7 & 5-10, Alice Patterson 5-7 and 4-6, Gayle Taylor 5-10.

ROYAL KEGLERS 12-17

C. D. Alcorn 4- Liberty 0, Todd 4- Bank of Sikeston, 0, Lewis 3- Herb Stephens Real Estate 1, Malone & Hyde 3½- Busch ½, Hope 3- Wades 1, Higgins 3- First Natl Bank 1,

Flora Croutehrs rolled high game with a big 222 and Thelma Hampton took high series with a 553. Lewis Furniture took both high team game and series with 1058 - 3051.

Splits: Thelma Hampton 5-8-10, Ann Cannon 5-7, Doris Cruther 2-7-10 & 5-7, Mary Meyer 3-10.

FRIDAY BOWLETTES 12-19

City Light 4- A & B Laundry 0, Bank of Sikeston 4- Intl Shoe No 1-0, Bud Davis Chevrolet 4- Bridger 0, Caproco 3- Nowell 1, Anchor Toy 3- Rodgers 1, L&A 2½ - Intl Shoe No. 2-1½.

Erma Wilson rolled high game of 198 and high series of 552. L & A had high game of 1019 and City Light took high team series of 2912.

Splits: Wayne Hyde 3-10 & 4-7-8 and Flora Hood 3-7-10.

The Bowlettes did not bowl Dec. 26th but will bowl Jan. 2, 1970.

DELTA IMPERIALETTES 12-23

Zieglers 4- Sikeston Driving Range 0, Lee's 4- Barketts 0, Reiss 3- Imperial Lanes Rest 1, Harts 3- Portageville 1, Micholeb 3- Security Natl Bank 1.

Splits: Virginia Little 4-5, Lois Cokenour 3-10, and Mildred Cockrell 3-10 & 6-7-10.

That's all for now. Have a very Happy New Year and may all you luck be Good.

See you in Two weeks probably.

BREAD - FRESH BREAD

KALISPELL, Mont. (AP) — A bread price war moved into a third month Monday with four one- pound loaves of unsliced white bread selling for 25 cents.

The normal price would be around $1. At one time the loaves dipped in price to three cents each.

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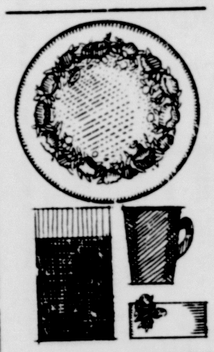

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Tourney Pairings

TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE

At Bloomfield

7:00 -- Matthews vs. Dexter

8:30 -- Malden vs. Bernie

At Cape Girardeau

7:00 -- Portageville vs. Clear Water

8:30 -- Notre Dame vs. Scott Central

At Flat River

6:00 -- Herculaneum vs. Potosi

7:30 -- Flat River vs. DeSoto

9:00 -- St. Pius vs. Farmington

MONDAY'S RESULTS

At Bloomfield

Matthews 55, Advance 50

Dexter 55, Richland 37

Malden 109, Parma 84

Bernie 70, Gideon 43

At Cape Girardeau

Notre Dame, Chaffee

Clearwater, Woodland

Scott Central, I-SC

Portageville, Cape Central

At Flat River

Snowed Out

Rescheduled for Tuesday (today)

Record Tied, Upset Scored During BHS Quarterfinals

BLOOMFIELD — A scoring record was tied and an upset recorded during quarterfinal round action of the 13tl annual Bloomfield high school holiday basketball tournament last night.

Malden cracked the century mark and sped past neighboring Parma 109-84 in last night's third game to tie the record for most points by a team in a single game held by Richland in 1963 against Parma (109-68).

Eighth seeded Matthews met its first real test of the season ith a rally and overcame top seeded Advance in yesterday's opener, 55-50.

Dexter staggered Richland 55-37 and Bernie breezed past Gideon 70-43 to complete quarterfinal round action and remain one of the top four teams of the tournament.

The 16- team field has been narrowed to four with that number to be lessened to two tonight as Matthews tangles with Dexter at 7 p.m. and Malden takes on Bernie at 8:30 p.m. in semi- final round action that will find the winners butting heads in a New Year's eve match at 8:30 p.m.

In what might be a preview of the class S regional finals last night, Matthews overcame a big 14- point deficit with a determined second half rally to move into the semi- finals ahead of the top seeded Advance Hornets.

Coach Jim Hart's Pirates on the combination of Carl Bishop's rebounding and pinpoint passing and steals by Clarence Brooks along with the added shooting of Andrew Richardson made the difference.

Advance went cold at the charity stripe where Matthews put them numerous times as its press was aggressive and added to the big Pirate win.

Leonard Robinson put the Pirates ahead (49-48) with 1:51 left in the game with two free throws and went on from there to chalk up the win as Advance made two late ball handling errors that enabled the Pirates to take a 53-50 lead and ease into the win as Brooks netted a pair of free throws with 13 seconds left to ice the game.

Matthews used a balanced scoring attack, led by Bishop's 15 points. Robinson added 11 while Richardson and Brooks 10 each and Kara Nunn nine. Nunn fouled out late in the fourth, just as the Pirates made their move.

Coach Jim Hall's Dexter Bearcats claimed a tight defense on Richland's John Sims and shutoff the Rebel offense to post its 55-37 win.

Sims was checked to seven points after a 34 point performance in its opener against Bell City, the 6- foot- 5, sophomore missed numerous five foot shots.

Richland's Norman Cole, its 5- foot- 9 sophomore guard, took high game scoring honors with 19 points. Dexter's Lloyd Hyten ripped in 17 while teammate Bearcat Mike Lynce added 15.

Dexter did little wrong as is offense clicked with perfection nd its defense was something to behold.

Fans were treated to the scoring likes of the 1950 Puxico quintets in the third game as neighboring Matthews and Parma tied up in a run shoot battle that ended with the second- seeded Wave on top, 109-84.

Willie Wilson and Carl Holloway teamed for 67 points to lead the Green Waves record tying performance as Wilson missed by one point tying the tournament record of most points by an individual held by Harold Persful and Fred Towns, netting 37 before leaving the game in the fourth period.

Parma had three players in the 20's, led by Joe White's 22 and followed by Allan White's and David Wright's 20 points each.

Bernie defensed its way into a 19-4 first period lead and cruised the rest of the way as it enjoyed a 35-12 halftime lead before pushing on for a 70-43 win and semi- final berth.

Don Botsch led a four- player double figure scoring attack for the Mules, netting 15 points. Leslie Brown added 14 while teammates Neal Beckman and Randy Williams added 10 each.

Gideon's Johnny Roberts picked up high game honors with 19 points for the Bulldogs.

Scoring:

MATTHEWS (55)

Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Nunn	3	3	5	9
Bishop	6	3	4	15
Robinson	4	3	0	11
Richardson	4	2	2	10
Brooks	1	8	2	10
Totals	18	19	13	55

ADVANCE (50)

Belong	3	1	4	7
Georger	1	2	1	4
Jenkins	12	3	5	27
Long	4	0	3	8
Ridings	2	0	0	4
Totals	22	6	14	50

Score by Quarters:

Matthews	14	10	12	21 - 55
Advance	16	12	16	6 - 50

DEXTER (55)

Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Hyten	6	5	2	17
Guethle	3	3	4	9
Demarca	1	1	0	3
Roderman	2	0	2	4
Palmer	1	4	1	6
Lynch	7	1	3	15
Northington	0	1	0	1
Totals	20	15	12	55
Cole, Norman	8	3	5	19
Sims	3	1	2	7
Reeves	0	0	1	0
Gaylord	1	3	2	5
Peters	1	0	2	2
Kinder	2	0	4	4
Ayers	0	0	4	0
Totals	15	7	20	37

Score by Quarters:

Dexter	13	11	15	16 - 55
Richland	9	10	6	12 - 37

MALDEN (109)

Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Clayton, Dow	5	0	3	10
Barbar	2	2	1	6
Clayton, T.	1	0	2	2
Gibson	1	0	0	2
Holloway	15	0	1	30
Robinson	1	0	1	2
Shaw	6	0	3	12
L. Smith	4	0	4	8
Wilson, Willy	17	3	2	37
Totals	52	5	17	109

PARMA (84)

White, Allan	10	0	2	20
White, Joe	7	8	3	22
Wright, Ed	1	2	3	4
Wright, David	7	6	3	20
Burnett	4	0	0	8
Williamson	4	0	1	8
Pope	1	0	0	2
Totals	34	16	12	84

Score by quarters:

Malden	28	25	30	26 - 109
Parma	19	22	19	24 - 84

BERNIE (70)

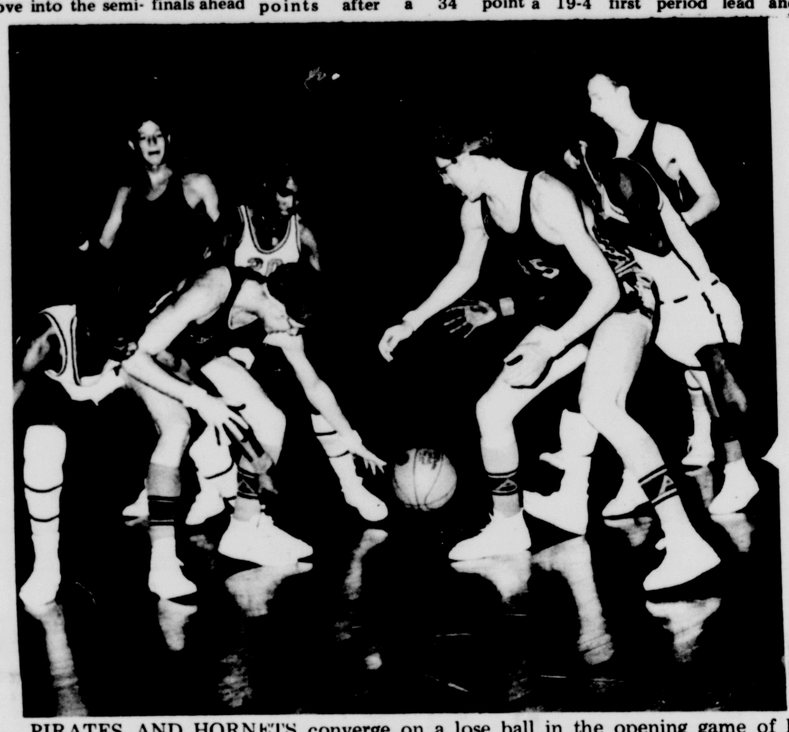
Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Botsch	7	1	1	15
Brocow	3	8	0	14
Sides	1	1	2	3
Wilson	5	2	2	12
Beckman	4	2	2	10
Brannon	2	0	0	4
McDale	0	0	1	0
Stanfield	0	2	1	2
Williams	3	4	1	10
Totals	25	20	10	70

GIDEON (43)

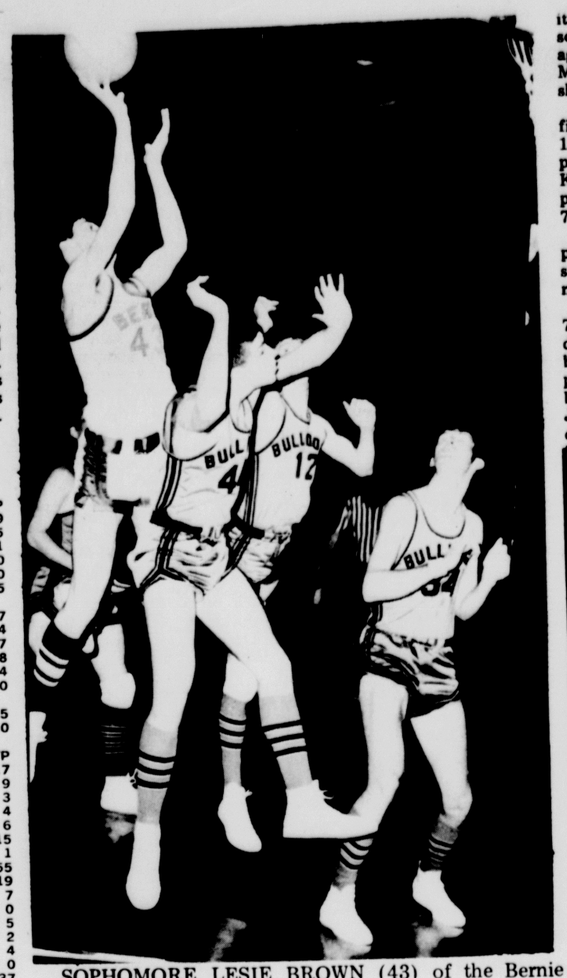
Buchanan	2	2	3	6
Walker	2	2	1	6
Cleaves	1	3	4	5
Lester	1	0	1	2
Littell	1	0	1	2
Murphy	1	1	4	3
Roberts	9	1	4	19
Totals	17	9	18	43

Score by Quarters:

Bernie	19	16	22	13 - 70
Gideon	4	8	11	20 - 43



PIRATES AND HORNETS converge on a lose ball in the opening game of last night's quarterfinals of the 13th annual Bloomfield Holiday basketball tournament. Top seeded Advance was upset in this battle 55-50 by Matthews. Advance's Russell Berrong (45) and Dennis Long (33) seem to have the ball, but Matthews' speedy Clarence Brooks (20) scooped up the lose ball and hustled down floor for a layin.



SOPHOMORE LESIE BROWN (43) of the Bernie Mules gets coach Ed Street's team on the way to a 70-43 win over Gideon in quarterfinal round play last night of the 13th annual Bloomfield Holiday tournament. Brown ended the game with 14 points as the Mules knocked off Gideon, a first round upset winner over Puxico.

Longhorns Post Upset

Not one, but two, Texas Longhorn teams are playing for championships this week.

The Texas football team, ranked No. 1 in the nation, meets Notre Dame in the Cotton Bowl Saturday. The basketball team, a far cry in success from its football counterparts, plays Seton Hall of New Jersey for the Hurricane Classic title in Miami tonight.

The Hurricane Classic is just one of scads of holiday basketball tournaments. The important thing, is that the obscure Longhorns bumped off fifth - ranked Ohio University 73-65 Monday night to gain the final berth.

The unexpected victory won't bring the Longhorns but it boosted their record to 5-4 and brought the Bobcats their first defeat in eight games. The Longhorns jumped ahead to stay 26-25 with three minutes to play in the half. The fumbling favorites managed only 32 per cent from the field but Craig Love grabbed 28 rebounds to break the Classic record and led Ohio to a 55-52 edge on the boards.

Sixth - ranked Tennessee and eighth - ranked Houston were shot down in milder upsets.

Unbeaten by unranked Niagara stunned Tennessee 69-68 in the semifinals of the All College tournament at Oklahoma City. All - American Calvin Murphy scored the winning basket with 13 seconds left to win the Purple Eagles at berth in tonight's championship game against Oklahoma City.

Santa Clara used a tight zone defense to hand No. 8 Houston its first loss in 10 games, 85-63, in the semifinals of the Las Vegas Holiday Classic. It was sweet revenge for the Broncos, since their loss to Houston earlier in the season knocked them out of the national rankings.

In other games involving the Top 20 teams in The Associated Press' new weekly poll, top - ranked Kentucky breezed past miami of Ohio 80-58 with a five - minute 17-5 scoring spree midway in the second half and remained unbeaten in eight games, while No. 2 UCLA beat Ivy League Princeton, but barely, for the Bruin Classic Championship at Los Angeles. The Bruins won their seventh straight, 76-75, on Sidney Wicks' 12-foot jump shot in the final three seconds.

All - American candidate John Roche scored 31 points and paced No. 3 South Carolina to an 85-62 romp over New Mixico in the semifinals Sugar Bowl Classic at New Orleans. The Gamecocks meet No. 13 Notre Dame for the championship tonight. Notre Dame advanced by beating West Virginia 84-80.

In Greensboro, N. C., No. 4 North Carolina called on sophomores Bill Chamberlain and Steve Previs for the 92-74 winning drive against Harvard in the semifinals of the Carolina Classic. Ninth - ranked Washington, 8-0 shot .656 from the field in the first half, built a 46-27 halftime lead and went on to beat Oregon State 85-65 in the semifinals of the Far West Classic at Portland. The Huskies meet Oregon State, the defending champions, in the title game tonight.

Seventh - ranked New Mexico State and 10th ranked Jacksonville were idle.

In the Second 10, Davidson, No. 11, beat Holy Cross 90-75 in the semifinals of the Charlotte Invitational Tournament in North Carolina; and No. 12 St. Bonaventure overpowered St. Joseph's of Pennsylvania 96-91 in the semifinals of the Eastern College Athletic Conference Holiday Festival Tournament in New York.

Mizzou Blows Lead; Loses 75-73 To Buff's

KANSAS CITY AP — There are grumblings hereabouts because tonight's finale in the 24th Big Eight Basketball Tournament has no Kansas team in it. John MacLeod tunes them out.

"I don't think there's any doubt about it," the young Oklahoma coach said Monday night, "this has to be a tremendous shot in the arm for our program.

"We've been struggling like heck. We needed a boost, and this might be it. The way it has lifted the morale of our kids is fantastic."

MacLeod sends his surprising Sooners into the tournament championship game tonight against Colorado, the defending conference champion.

The poised Buffaloes rallied from an 18- point deficit to clip Missouri, 75-73, in Monday's semifinals.

Oklahoma, refusing to let early deficits or its own mistakes rattle it, bounced from nine points behind to defeat Kansas State, 72-67.

"I think this team knows it can come back now," said MacLeod. Oklahoma boasts the best Big Eight record, 9-1. "We didn't play too well tonight, but we still came back," said a happy MacLeod.

The Sooners trailed 33-24 with five minutes left in the first half, then followed the lead of senior Garfield Heard in a rally which pulled them ahead 45-44. K- State led again at 53-52, but the Sooners went ahead to stay on Charlie Hardin's bascet and Scott Martin's two free throws with 42 seconds left clinched it.

Heard got 24 points for Oklahoma and Bob Zender 27 for K-State.

The Sooners, who trimmed Kansas 68-64 in overtime in the first round, knocked both Kansas teams out of the championship game. That hasn't happened since 1949, when Missouri beat the Sooners 44-42 in the title match.

The Buffaloes fell behind 37-19 with 6:25 to go in the first half as the Tigers drilled their first 13 shots without missing and 16 of their first 17 attempts.

Colorado didn't panic. Cliff Meely, the game's top scorer with 26 points, led the Buffs back until they trailed only 73-71 with 1:13 remaining. Gordon Tope then tied the game with a field goal and Meely won it on two free throws with 58 seconds to play. A charging foul against Don Tomlinson ruined Missouri's last chance for a tying shot.

Oklahoma, which gained the finals for the first time since 1953, and Colorado, now 7-3, play for the title at 9 p.m. after Kansas plays Nebraska for fifth place in the consolation finals at 7 p.m.

This afternoon, Iowa State plays Oklahoma State for seventh place and Kansas State meets Missouri for third.

Kansas beat Oklahoma State 72-56 for the most lop- sided decision in the tournament behind Dave Robisch's 29 points, while Nebraska turned back Iowa State 74-66 as Chuck Jura counted 21 in Monday's consolation semifinals.

Woodland, Central Upset

CAPE GIRARDEAU — All pre- tournament predictions were nullified last night in the quarterfinal rounds of the College high invitatioal Christmas tournament. First seeded Delta was eliminated in the opening rounds of the Holiday Classic by Illmo- Scott City which provied to be the upset of the tournament. The remaining second, third, and fourth rated teams in tourney were handed their ticket here last night as tempers flared various times throughout the evening. It just didn't seem to be a night for the predicted to come out on top. Coach Dale Harrison's Portageville Bulldogs made believers out of a few people that had seen the jousting contest that they had had with Oak Ridge Saturday night as they bounced back and put the hold to the Second seeded Cape Central quintet, 47-44. Notre Dame asked fourth - rated Chaffee to bow out with their 74-64 victory over the Reddevils. In the second game of the evening once beaten and third ranked Woodland fell to a five point handicap 57-52, and made way for the Clearwater Tigers to advance into Semi- final action tonight. ISC stuck with the Cape County Central team throughout their encounter but couldn't make up a 10 point deficit that was handed them with five minutes to go. Central came out on top, 63-57.

Holding a one point lead at the half, Chaffee slacked off in the late quarters and let Notre Dame gradually overtake them hitting on a 30 of 56 shots attempted from the field in he lst half. Chaffee applied a full- court press midway through the third quarter, in hopes of slowing down the running Dogs but to no avail. Paul Spaeth and Gary Van Weeldon were the big guns for the Bulldogs as they netted 19 points apiece. Little 5 foot 7 inch, Steve Duniphan dropped in 23 points to lead the underdogs in scoring.

Clearwater knocked off Woodland with the assistance of Jim Burch and Jim Evans who played superb games for the Tigers offensively and defensively. Burch cleaned the boards for the Bengals as he brought down 20 through the tenure of the game. Woodland only managed to snag 23 rebounds all together. All five starters for the victor reached double figures before the game was called to a close while two of Woodlands reached the mark. The Cardinals made a fighting stand of it late in the first half and came from behind to take a 28-26 lead just seconds after the final half began. The lead then volleyed back and forth as time began to run thin and Clearwater took advantage of a few breaks and won themselves a berth in the semi- finals. In the third game, Illmo ran into a little bad weather that they had not been expecting out of Scott Central. The Braves jumped out to an early lead in the first quarter and ISC had to play catch up ball the whole game. A few unruly breaks was the straw that broke the camels back though as Illmo had steadily worked their way back into the game by the end of the third quarter before the floor began to fall out and the leading defensive player of the game getting kicked out were just a few of the minor details that were faulty.

In the nightcap, Portageville wasted little time in showing the spirited Tiger Den from Cape Central that they meant business. The Dogs jumped out to an early lead, 14-9 in the first quarter behind the fine defensive wall that they threw up to ward off the Tigers. Cape tried to pressure them with a late press defense just before the half but it proved to be a little late as Portageville netted 46% of their shots the first half compared to Cape's 25%. With 3:44 remaining in the game, Central came back strong and took a minutes lead 28-26 before relinquishing it.

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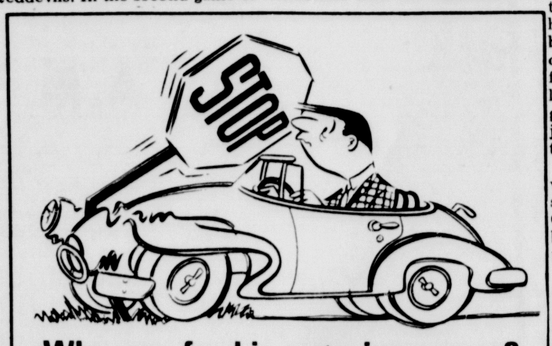

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A thousand school children of eight and nine heard and saw this story in previews of new sex education programs produced by the British Broadcasting Corp. and scheduled for general broadcasting later.

The stork has been shot down. Is this good?

Dr. Louise Eickhoff, child psychiatrist at Selly Oak Hospital in Birmingham, says: "I have cases to show that children who have been taught by parents without harm broke down as a result of seeing the film 'Birth of a Baby' and television programs."

Dr. Robert Kind, who teaches sex in Leicestershire schools, says: "I personally know of no case where a child has been sent off the rails by sex instruction. Ignorance causes anxiety as well as a good many illegitimate teen-age births. It is the root of many adult sex problems."

Much of the opposition to the programs centers on the credo that sex instruction is a parental responsibility. Proponents argue that parents have failed their job, leading to maladjusted generations.

BBC is putting Great Britain alongside Sweden in primary school sex education and ahead of the United States, where television sex instruction in some areas has called forth protest and threats of picketing and court injunctions.

Msgr. Francis Thompson, Roman Catholic bishop of Motherwell, banned the films in his diocese. Msgr. John A. Murphy, archbishop of Cardiff, Wales, said: "That there are some immature or careless parents we all agree but have all the good parents to suffer trespass because of them?"

The government assured Parliament that parental permission will be sought so that no child will be forced to see the programs.

A BBC spokesman said 95 per cent of the parents who saw the previews approved. A spokesman for the School Broadcasting Council, a BBC affiliate, said "initial reaction from parents, teachers and nearly 1,000 children at previews produced only a small number of objections."

The children themselves talked freely, parent and teacher reports gathered by the council showed.

"Teacher," asked one towheaded youngster after some thought, "how was the first baby born?"

A little girl asked her father over breakfast: "Daddy, you don't have babies until you're married, do you?" Her father agreed. She pondered. "Daddy," she asked, "tell me, how does your stomach know you're married?"

The earlier arrival of puberty, affecting girls particularly, was a key factor in the decision of the School Broadcasting Council to recommend that BBC do its series.

The films take two forms—radiovision and television.

DEAR FOLKS:

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POLLY'S POINTERS

Seeks Way to Make Rugs From Used Wool Clothing

By POLLY CRAMER

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY—I would like to know how to make rugs out of used wool clothing by the sewing method and hope some reader can help me with this information.—LIZABETH

DEAR POLLY—My Pointer is for Alfred, who wanted to know how to paint the inside of a bottle. To paint the outside decoratively with poster paint, start with a clean, dry bottle and then paint on a mixture of ⅔ white paint and ⅓ white glue for a base coat. Try not to overlap the strokes. When dry, you have a good base for anything you want to do. To apply this base coat to the inside of a bottle, all you have to do is pour some into the bottle and swish around. Pour out the excess after all is well-covered. Let it dry turned upside down.—MONICA

DEAR READERS—I added this all-purpose white glue to regular enamel paint and found it adhered well to the glass and more evenly than the paint alone. When painting the inside, according to Monica's method, the first coat would have to be the color you want the bottle to show, as it would adhere to the glass first.—POLLY

DEAR POLLY—A split clothespin put inside both your washing and drying cloth is ideal for cleaning corners when washing windows. It does not scratch or mar the painted frames.

Try putting a piece of masking tape over your car-door lock during an ice or rain blizzard in the wintertime and you will have less trouble unlocking the door. Do not press it down on the paint, just on the lock.—MRS. V. H.

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Share your favorite homemaking ideas . . . and send them to Polly in care of The Daily Sikeston Standard. You'll receive a bright, new silver dollar if Polly uses your idea in Polly's Pointers.

Hearnes Will Speak At Dexter

DEXTER - Gov. Warren E. Hearnes will be guest speaker at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet meeting Jan. 30, at the Catholic Church Hall at 7 p.m.

The 1970 officers of the C of C will be introduced at this meeting and various awards will be presented, including the coveted "Man of the Year" award.

Thurston Hill, Superintendent of Schools, will be to act as toastmaster.

Assuming the presidency of the organization will be Jack Estes, owner of Saveway LP Gas, Inc. Estes is currently serving as first vice president, Jim Smith, local manager for the Security Federal Savings and Loan Association, is retiring president.

Tickets for the banquet can be obtained after Jan. 1 from Chamber members or at the C of C office, according to Mrs. Mary Ellen Blankenship, office manager.

BIRD BALL

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Birds of a feather flocked together when Dolores Finch, 23, and Dennis Sparrow, 24, held a family party to celebrate their engagement. They were carrying on a family tradition, for Dennis' mother was one of four sisters, two of whom married two brothers named Sparrow. The other two married brothers called Partridge. One of the Partridge daughters married a Mr. Hen. To top it all, Mr. and Mrs. Sparrow (senior) live in a house called The Nest.

Pair Uses Teaspoon, Putty Knife to Scrape Through Jail Wall

MACON, Mo. (AP) - Two men using a teaspoon and a putty knife scraped their way to freedom through a double brick wall in the Macon jail early Monday.

The two were identified as Roy E. Via, 21, and Paul Douglas, 24, both of Clarence, Mo.

Via had been held for U. S. Navy authorities after being picked up as a deserter according to a report from the office of Sheriff Claude Nuhn.

Douglas was in jail for parole violation after conviction on an assault charge.

Five other prisoners in the jail could have left by the same escape route but chose to remain.

The name Clarissa is derived from the Latin and means fair.

WINTER WOES by Pinson

On the car of Barwell Z. Brown,
Was the dirtiest windshield in town—
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Rogers Gets 75 To 100 Years on Slaying Charge

MARION, Ill. (AP) — Keneth Rogers was sentenced to 75 to 100 years in prison Monday after pleading guilty to the strangulation murders of his wife and her woman companion.

The bodies of his wife, Wilma, 22, and Miss Barbara Case, 25, were found in their trailer home Christmas Day near Carterville. Rogers, 28, assistant manager of a Carbondale bookstore, was arrested in Covington, Tenn., Friday and returned to Illinois the same day.

Before passing sentence, Circuit Judge John Clayton informed Rogers of his legal rights and asked if he wanted more time.

Rogers replied he was ready to enter a plea. The defendant was represented by Public Defender George Morgan.

After the sentencing, Rogers was removed to the Jackson County jail in Carbondale where he faces arraignment on a charge of murdering 14-year-old Lisa Levering. The girl's body was found Dec. 1 near Carbondale.

Hurn Sworn in As U.S. Attorney

KANSAS CITY (AP) - Bert Hurn, 45, a Neosho, Mo., lawyer, will be sworn in Jan. 5 by Judge William H. Becker as U. S. attorney for Western Missouri. Becker is chief judge of U. S. District Court in Kansas City.

Hurn, a Republican, was formerly prosecuting attorney in Newton County and will succeed Calvin K. Hamilton, an appointee of President Johnson. Hurn, was appointed by President Nixon and his appointment was confirmed in Congress Nov. 26.

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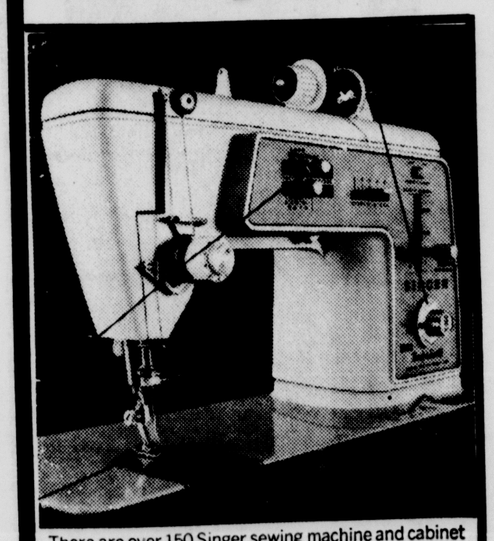

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Let's Not Have 'Religion' Known as Fund-Raising

By DAVID POLING

Every organization I know has its fund-raising problem. As soon as the PTA gets down to business, it wants to collect dues. When my son starts playing Little League baseball, the people in charge let me know that I am now a member of the Booster Club and that is $2 by return mail.

Even the peace groups won't let me protest the war without writing a check for some treasurer who is acting rather hawkish at my slow pay.

No group is exempt or free from this chore. The senior class at high school will shortly shame me into purchase of a dozen tickets for their play—my boy is a senior. (He justs tells me it will be two dozen—he's also in the play.)

And we have not mentioned the church, where fund-raising has become sacred, computerized and the most time-consuming, energy-draining activity around. In his new book, "Funny, You Don't Look Christian" (Weybright and Talley, $3.95), Robert Herhold hits the nerve like an untrained dentist probing for a cavity. He has an essay called, "The Religion of Fund Raising," which describes the ordeal of the saints:

"One fund-raising firm instructs callers to pray three prayers. (Printed prayers are furnished if needed.) A prayer is said before getting out of the car, another just before the member fills out his pledge card, and a final clincher before the caller leaves. The member doesn't have to worry only about appearing cheap before a fellow member; he also has the Almighty frowning over his shoulder."

In an even more critical tone, J. Elliott Corbett creates a paraphrase of Jeremiah in his book, "Prophets on Main Street" (John Knox Press, $4.95):

"Thus says the Lord:
O, you Christians, strength of my arm, voice of my mouth, compassion of my heart,
Step off your merry-go-round!
Break through your monotonous cycle!
You who raise money to erect buildings,
so you can expand your program,
and when you expand your program,
you need more money to erect more buildings.
"O, when will you start being the church:
Stop making the church a place to go,
and make it something to be."

Money and budgets and fund-raising will always be a part of the religious community. These little chores run straight through the Bible but this dare not become an end in itself. If it does, we will indeed have a religion of Fund-Raising and its chief opponent will be the follower of Christ.

Original Meaning

The original meaning of the word "gentile" was "peoples" or "nations." Gentile was used to designate the nations of mankind outside Israel. Hence, originally, a gentile was a non-Jew.

Prison Officials Identify Pair

CAMDENTON, Mo. (AP) - Missouri prison officials have identified two men arrested Friday and held in Camden county jail on car theft charges as two inmates who escaped Thursday night from the Missouri State Prison Farm.

The two men being held in Camdenton for LaClede county authorities were first booked under the names of Donald Lee Smith, 26, of Columbia, Mo., and James Allen Lee, 23, of Independence, Mo.

The state prison officials identified them as Robert Bennett, 21, formerly of indepdence, and Webb Jones, 26, Warrensburg. Bennett was serving a five year prison term on a Jackson County conviction of stealing. Jones was serving five years for a forgery conviction in Johnson County.

The two men were arrested in Osage Beach, Mo., Friday by police officer Harry Scott and Highway Patrol trooper Harry Lea after a police chase. The two were driving a car stolen in Lebanon, Mo., and were involved in a minor hit - and - run accident in Camdenton early Friday. Camdenton police gave chase and radioed ahead to police in Osage Beach where the arrest was made.

ARMED FORCES

Chief Petty Officer Roussell, naval recruiter in Cape Girardeau reports Norman Darter Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Darter enlisted in the naval reserve as a fireman recruit. He will attend drills with the reserve unit in Cape Girardeau for one year prior to being ordered on active duty for two years with the fleet. Darters commanding officer of the reserve unit is C. L. Blanton III, LCDR also of Sikeston Fireman Darter lives with his parents on route three. He graduated from Matthews high school in June.

No one knows the age of the famous Greek statue, Venus de Milo, but it was probably made during the first or second century B.C.

In World War II, 2½ years elapsed between Gen. Douglas MacArthur's departure from the Philippines and his return.

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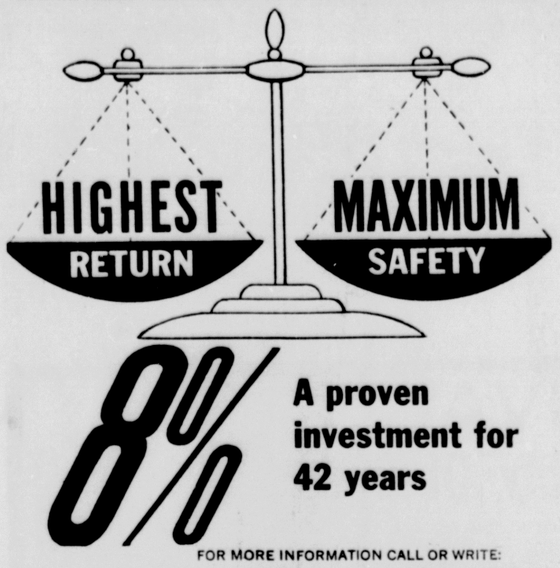

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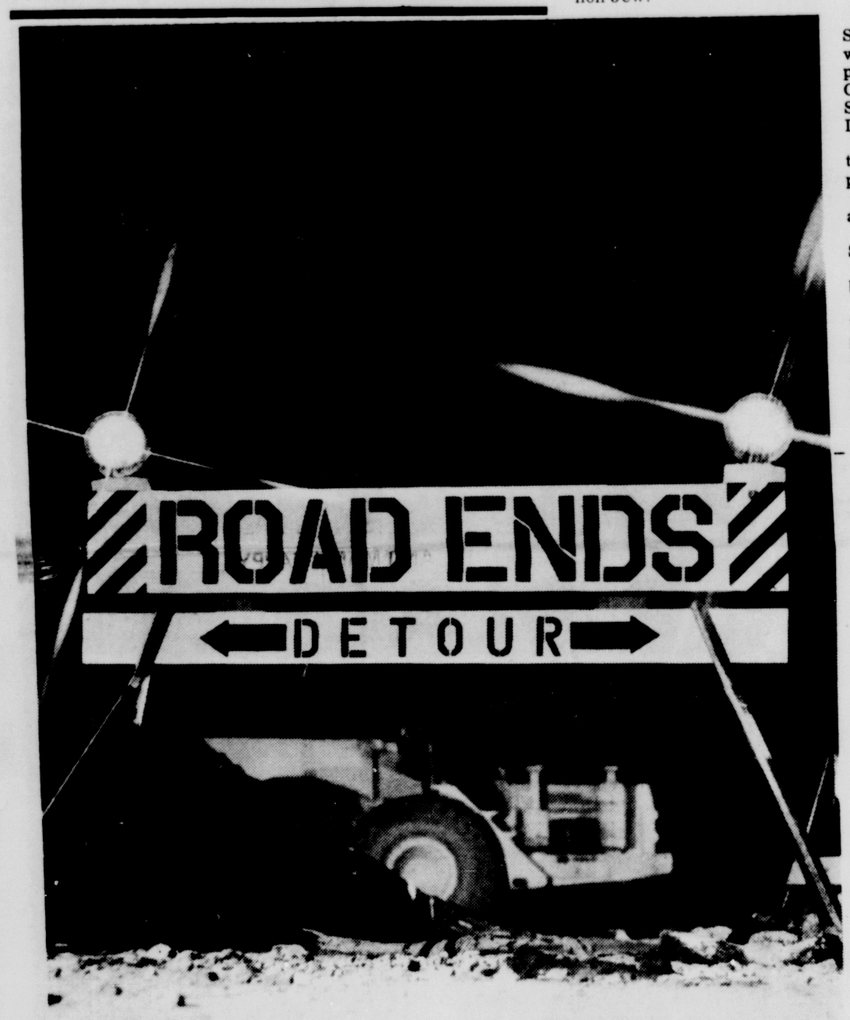

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First Baby Contest in Stoddard

DEXTER - The first Stoddard County baby in 1970 will receive an array of gifts as part of the annual First Baby Contest sponsored by the Statesman - Messenger and 18 Dexter merchants.

Gifts will include items for the new baby as well as for the parents.

The following rules will apply to the contest:

-Parents must be residents of Stoddard County.

-The baby does not need to be born in the County.

-The Doctor should notify the Statesman - Messenger, giving exact time of birth, baby and parents name, parent's address, vital statistics of the baby and any other information needed.

The winner will be announced as soon as the information is verified.

Participating merchants include: Bank of Bloomfield, Gainer's Jewelry, Rigsby's Family Center, Ringer Hardware, Dexter Statesman - Messenger, Sears, Weber's Ben Franklin, Stovall's, Tucker's Home Furnishings, Dexter IGA Foodliner, Sayre's Jewelry, P. N. Hirsch, Vowel's Tire and Appliance, Hamras, City Motor Sales, The Kathy -Kay Shopee, Ladies' Toggery, Hubbard's Jewelry, Boone's Supermarket, Dale's Appliance.

Dairy Queen Purchased by Berkbiglers

The Dairy Queen at 2021 East Malone, has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Ladelle Berkbigler from Mr. and Mrs. Merl Mabie.

The former owners own a Dairy Queen in Caruthersville and will take over the operation there.

The Sikeston business will operate under the name of L and M Dairy Queen.

Berkbigler has been building superintendent of the Sikeston Regional Diagnostic Clinic since its opening two years ago. He was a former insurance executive and will continue at his present occupation. His wife, Maxine, has worked for Harper's Travel Service four years and will continue.

Iris England will be in charge of Dairy Queen, with Mr. and Mrs. Berkbigler assisting on evenings and the weekend.

The Berkbiglers live at 312 Marian St.

Rusk Appointed to Georgia U. Faculty

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) - The appointment of former secretary of state Dean Rusk to the University of Georgia faculty was approved Monday despite the opposition of Gov. Lester Maddox and some members of the State Board of Regents.

The vote, announced after a two-hour closed meeting of the regents, was 9-4.

BIBLE FOR READING

NEW YORK (AP) — Many people are put off from reaching through the Bible by all the lengthy chronologies, repetitions and historical detail.

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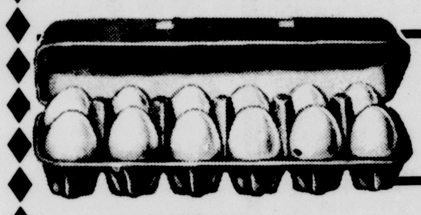

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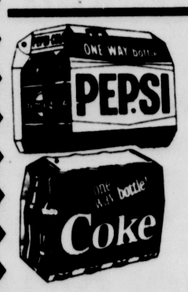

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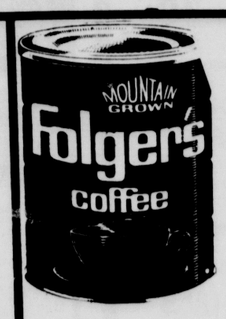

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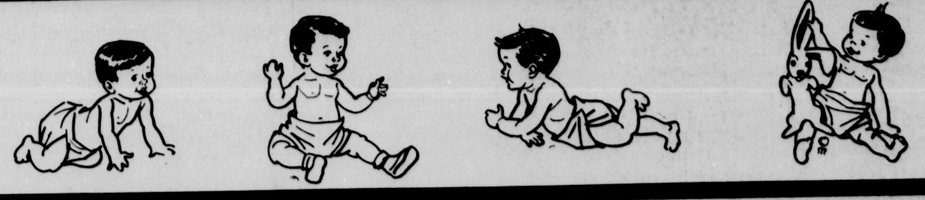

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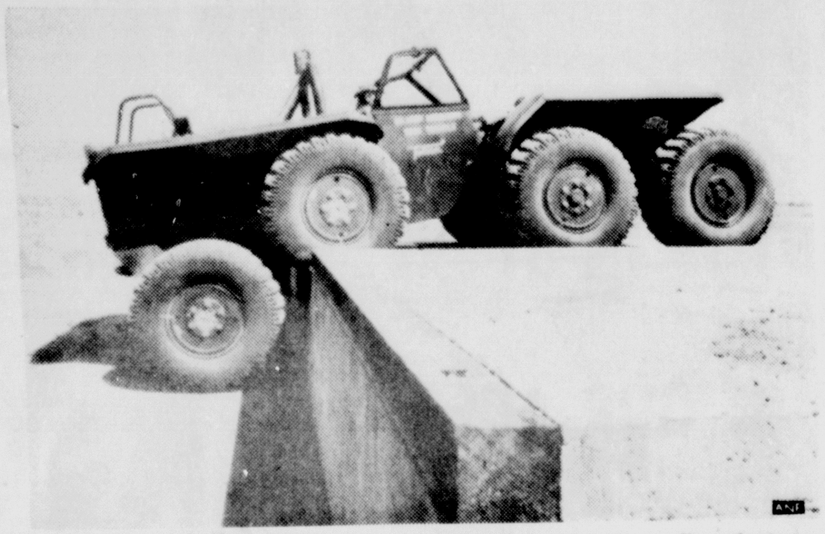
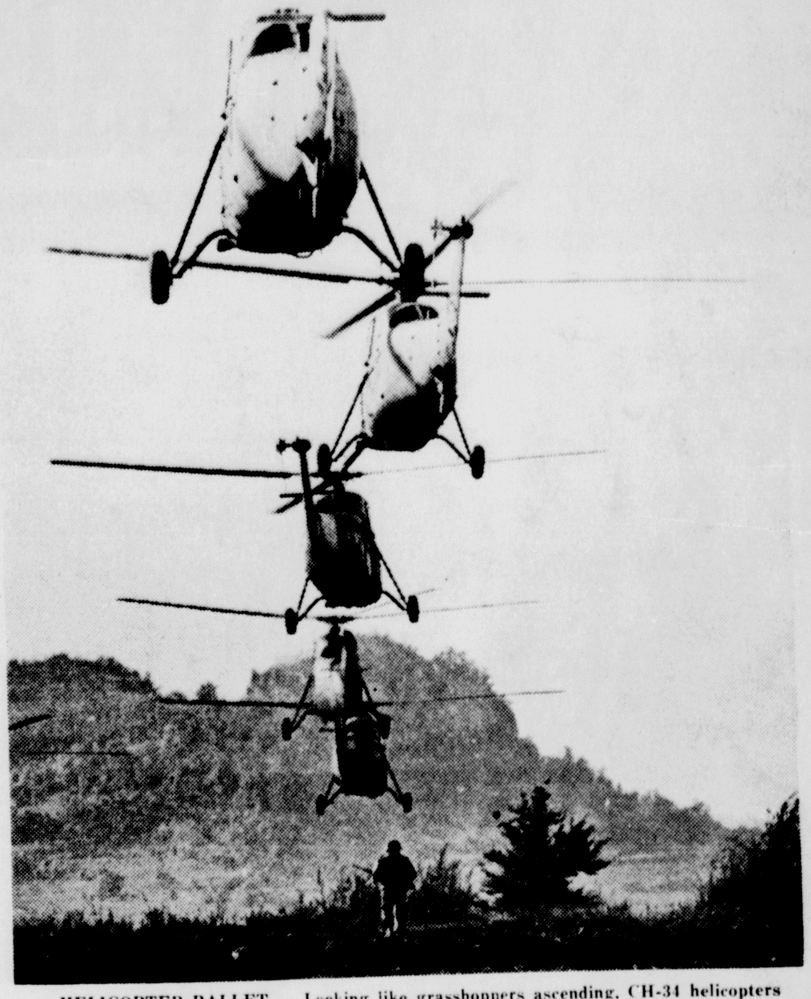


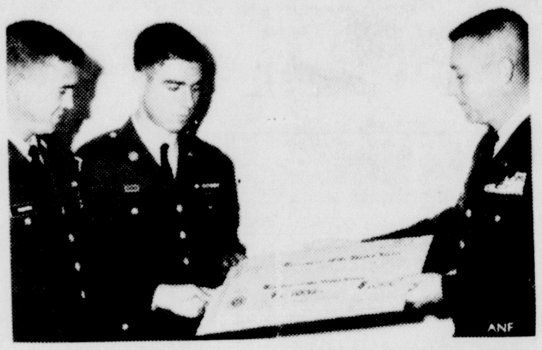
UP AND OVER—The Army's Twister vehicle climbs a three-foot wall on the test course during shakedown trials at Lockheed Missiles & Space Co. Developed by Lockheed under a three vehicle contract with the Army Tank-Automotive Command, the Army vehicle has two bodies joined by a pivotal yoke. An engine in each section gives the Twister eight-wheel drive. The Army plans to use the Twister to evaluate the concept for application to next-generation, high-performance, off-road combat vehicles.

A HALL OF FLAGS — Flags of the 50 states line the corridor of the "Hall of States" at the U.S. Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pa. The flags were presented to the college on behalf of the Adjutants General Association during a recent dedication ceremony at the college.



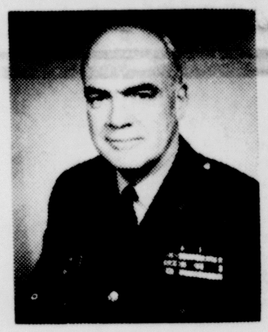
HELICOPTER BALLET — Looking like grasshoppers ascending, CH-34 helicopters of the VII Corps, 15th Aviation Group (Combat) lift off after inserting an infantry assault force into a landing zone during an airmobile demonstration at Hohenfels, Germany. *(U.S. Army Photo by Sgt. Bill Donahoe)*

SHAPE-LY ESCORTS AT SHAPE — Cheerleaders from the Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe (SHAPE) International High School escort General Andrew J. Goodpaster, supreme allied commander, Europe. The general attended pre-game ceremonies at the SHAPE Spartans' first home game. The Spartans defeated their NATO rivals from Allied Forces Central Europe 32-12. Spartan cheerleaders are (from left) Ann Dunwoody, Dana Caldwell and Jackie Dunwoody.
(U.S. Army Photo by Sfc. D. Kuhn)



ALASKAN BONANZA — S/Sgt. Richard Simmons (left), Decherd, Tenn., and Sp4 Dave Floyd, East Puyallup, Wash., accept oversize checks as they receive a combined reenlistment bonus of $18,000 from their commanding officer, Lt. Col. Clarence A. Davis, Jr. Both men are assigned to the 19th Aviation Battalion, Ft. Richardson, Alaska.

General Sidle Becomes Army's New Chief of Information



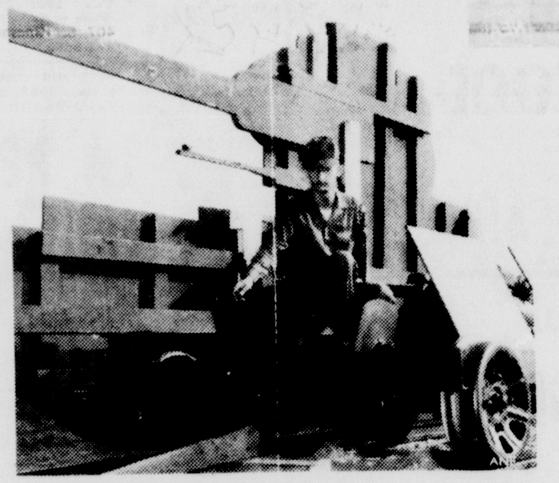
WASHINGTON (ANF) — Brig. Gen. Winant Sidle became the new Chief of Information for the Department of the Army on Oct. 27th.

The former Chief of Information, Maj. Gen. Wendell J. Coats is now the commanding general of the 2d Armored Division, Ft. Hood, Texas.

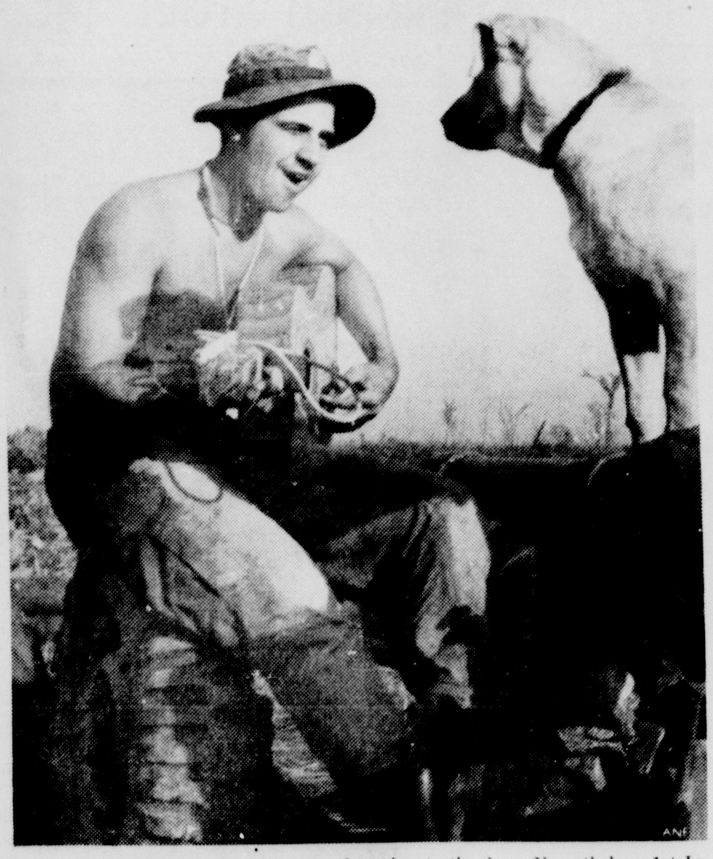
General Sidle's previous assignment was in the Republic of Vietnam where he served 19 months as Chief of Information for the U.S. Military Assistance Command, Vietnam and six months as commanding general of the I Field Force Artillery. Before going to Vietnam in August 1967, General Sidle served as director of defense information in the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs.

A resident of Philadelphia, Pa., General Sidle was graduated from Hamilton College, Clinton, N.Y. He holds a Master's degree from the University of Wisconsin. During World War II he saw extensive combat service as an artillery commander in North Africa and Europe. He was an artillery battalion commander in the 3d Infantry Division during combat in Korea.

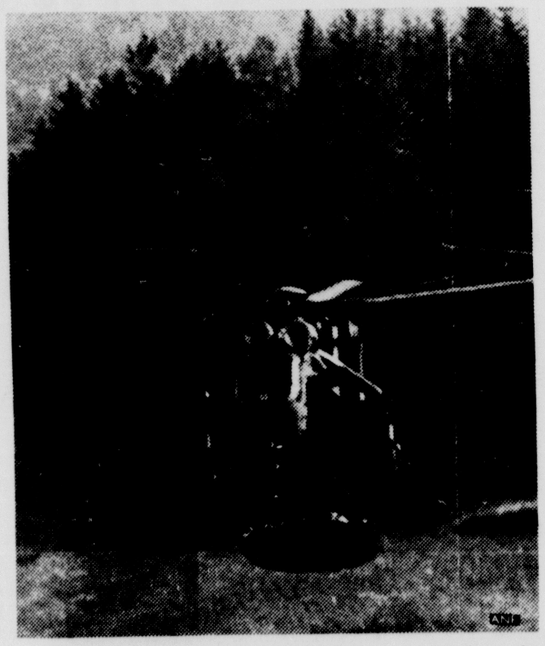
General Sidle is a graduate of the Artillery School, the Command and General Staff College and the Army War College.



TARGET TANK — Sp4 Jerry G. Suttle, Forest City, N.C., reverses the direction of Ft. Polk's "tank" training aid. The device is used to train soldiers in firing the Army's M-72 light antitank weapon. The wooden cutout of an aggressor tank is mounted on an unmanned motorized dolly and looks much like the real thing from the firing line.
(U.S. Army Photo by Pfc Dale Brommerich)

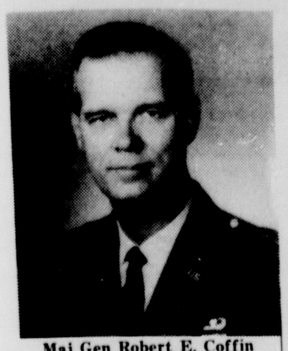


HIS MASTER'S VOICE is apparently going to the dogs. Nevertheless, 1st Infantry Division trooper Pfc William Vabolis, Washington, D.C., seems to be enjoying his "concert" during a lull in the action in the Republic of Vietnam. Private Vabolis will entertain anyone who will listen, according to reports from the field. However, sometimes only his dog, "Shorty," seems to care.
(U.S. Army Photo by Sp4 Peter Mutmansky)



HEAVY STUFF — A CH-54 FLYING CRANE from the 295th Aviation Company, 15th Aviation Group (Combat), U.S. Army Europe airlifts an armored personnel carrier used during an airmobile demonstration at Hohenfels, Germany. The demonstration, dubbed Operation HOHENBAUM (High Tree),was designed to test the feasibility of using airmobile tactics in Europe. The Sikorsky-built craft can lift an external load of up to 10 tons.

SPEEDY EVACUATION — Combat medics rush an injured 1st Infantry Division trooper to a DUSTOFF chopper. The DUSTOFF helicopter can get the man to a medical facility in less than 35 minutes—from anywhere in Vietnam. That facility can then give the soldier any type of life-saving treatment he requires.
(U.S. Army Photo by S/Sgt. L.E. Perkins)



Maj Gen Robert E. Coffin
Commanding General,
U.S. Army Southern European
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SEASONAL SQUALLS

Maps show Weather Bureau's forecast of average temperature, precipitation for period thru Jan. 15.

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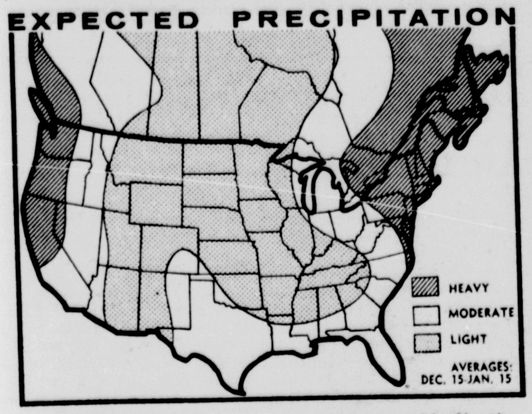
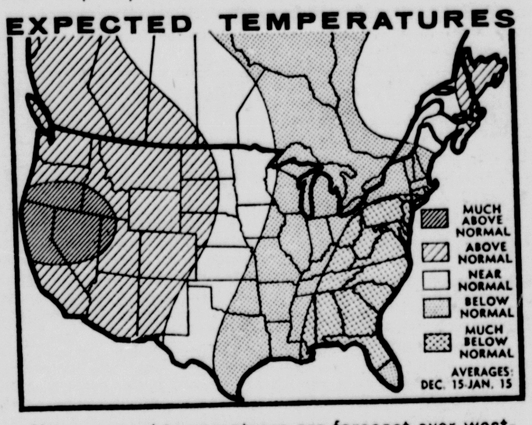


Precipitation is expected to exceed normal in Northeast as well as over central and north Pacific Coast. Subnormal amounts are indicated elsewhere.

EXPECTED TEMPERATURES



Above-normal temperatures are forecast over western half of U.S. and below-normal over eastern half with greatest departures in Atlantic states.

DEMOCRACY HAS SAVED FEUDALISM on the Isle of Sark, one of the English Channel Islands. The island's owner, Mrs. Sibyl Hathaway, inset, has given in to the majority wishes of her 556 subjects. They want her to keep on running things, instead of turning over the tax-free paradise to the administration of neighboring Guernsey. The Dame of Sark, now 85, describes her domain as "the last bastion of feudalism in the Western World." She owns the entire island, appointing all office holders. Autos are banned on Sark, where numerous lovely bays and mysterious caves helped attract 40,000 visitors last year.

WAIST-HIGH WHEAT makes a pretty picture, especially to farmers in Kansas where the 1969 crop promises to be the second largest on record. The Kansas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service has predicted a 298-million-bushel yield, a harvest exceeded only by 1952's 308 million bushels. The young miss running through the field is Susan Van Laningham of Pittsburg, Kan. Photo by Hugh S. Tessendorf.

WATER JOCKEY — Test personnel inspect propulsion units that are attached to Mexefloat pontoon equipment. The tests, run by the U.S. Army Test and Evaluation Command's General Equipment Test Activity in the Fort Story-Fort Eustis, Va. area, will determine whether the new equipment meets Army requirements for powering pontoons to be used as lighterage, causeways and floating piers. The system can be transported by conventional cargo vessels and assembled overseas by stevedores and barge operators without special tools.

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For Sale: one antique round dining table in excellent condition, 4x6 book case almost new and one console piano, nine months old. All reasonably priced, call 683-4754 or write box 364 Charleston, Mo.

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6	00 CBS Evening News 30 Lancer-Color CBS	00 News Picture 30 I Dream of Jeannie	00 Cactus Pete 25 Weather (C) 30 Mod Squad (C
7	30 The Red Skelton Show-	00 Debbie Reynolds 30 Julia - C	30 Movie of Week! Gidget Grows Up
8	30 The Governor & J.J.	00 Tues. Nite Movie - C "Matter of Innocence"	
9	00 CBS News Hour		00 Marcus Welby,M.D.
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12	00 Late News Highlights		00 News & Sign Off
WEDNESDAY MORNING PROGRAMS			
6	00 Sunrise Semester-Color 30 Gospel Train-Color 45 Ch. 12 Breakfast Show-	30 TV Party Line	
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8	00 Captain Kangaroo		
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1	00 Love Many Splend Thing 30 The Guiding Light-Color	00 Days of our Lives 30 The Doctors - C	00 Newlywed Game 30 Dating Game (C)
2	00 The Secret Storm- 30 The Edge of Night	00 Another World 30 Bright Promise	30 General Hospital 30 One Life To Live
3	00 Gomer Pyle USMC- 30 Magic Castle Cartoon	00 30 55	00 Dark Shadows (C) 30 N-Modern Almanac T-H-T Professors & Challenges F-Lauman
4	00 The Mike Douglas Show-	00 Popeye - C 30 Perry Mason 30 Big 6 Dance Party - Fri. to 5:30	00 The Hour

Looking Back

G.W. Arterburn Celebrates 61st Birthday

50 Years Ago
December 30 1919

G.W. Arterburn celebrated his 61st birthday at his home on Ruth street, Saturday, December 27.

Miss Ruth McCoy went to Portageville Sunday afternoon for a visit with Miss Mary Mary Delisle.

40 Years Ago
December 30, 1929

New Madrid -- The New Madrid public high school together with the grade school, a two - story brick, containing 12 rooms and additorium was totally destroyed by fire of undetermined origin Monday about midnight. The Board of Directors estimated the total loss at $50,000, of which $5,000 was in books. At a meeting of the board it was decided that the school would be rebuilt and until same could be done, classes would be held in the two churches, city hall, masonic hall and court house.

Virgil Gosnell, 16 - year - old rabbit hunter of Big Ridge, south of here was brought to the Emergency Hospital Sunday afternoon, suffering from accidently inflicted gunshot wounds.

Charleston - Branch Rickey of the Cardinal baseball team and Branch, jr., of St. Louis and Dr. Harmon, president of McKendree College at Lebanon, Ill., are enjoying a hunt here this week, as the guests of Bob Burroughs, and Oliver and Andrew French.

Benton -- Fire, believed to have originated from defective wiring, totally destroyed the eight - room house of Dr. U.P. Haw and practically all its household contents Thursday night.

30 Years Ago
December 30, 1939

Rex Theatre, today, "Billy the Kid Returns" with Roy Rogers. Malone Theatre, today "Henry Goes to Arizona" with Frank Morgan.

Mrs. Pleas Hyatt, 37, of Kennett, former Sikeston resident, passed away in St. Mary's Infirmary at Cairo, Ill., Sunday morning of bronchial pneumonia and blood poisoning. Mrs. Hyatt had been ill for three weeks and was taken to the hospital on Wednesday of last week, but failed to rally to the treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. P.A. McDougal and son, Dick, were guests of relatives in Clarkton, Dexter and Poplar Bluff Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. J.N. Hitchcock and family spent Christmas in Pocahontas, Ark., and assisted in the observance of the 60th wedding anniversary of her parents.

20 Years Ago
December 30, 1949

Sikeston's first baby to be born in the new year is the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gorman, who reside at the Dixelonian Trailor Court on Highway 61 north. The child was born at the local hospital at 2:36 a.m. on January 1.

In a double ring ceremony at the Methodist Church in Charleston on December 31, Miss Rebecca Jane Bronw, daughter of Mrs. E.Riley Brown and the late Mr. Brown, became the bride of Robert Joseph Foley, son of Mrs. J.W. Foley nad the late Mr. Foley.

In a Christmas Eve ceremony at the Fourth Presbyterian Church in Louisville, Ky., Miss Barbara Nell Smith of Louisville became the bride of Audra Byron Smith of Sikeston. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robert Smith.

John F. Wood, jr., of the Greyhound Lines arrived Thursday night and is working at the local bus station for a week. He is also visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wood.

If You Were the Judge

Customs Officers Can't Strip Suspect

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

When bearded Benny boarded a plane in Canada bound for the United States, a customs officer concluded that Benny's joyful disposition was due to an anticipated flight on marijuana and not on the airplane. Consequently, he telephoned his suspicions to a customs officer where the plane was to land. As a result, when the plane landed, Benny was greeted with open arms. He was ushered into a room nd was ordered to strip. Packets of marijuana were found strapped around his waist. Benny was charged with smuggling and, in court, the packets of marijuana constituted the primary evidence against him.

"It was obtained illegally," insisted Benny. "Making a person strip isn't only indecent, it's unconstitutional."

"It was the only way to check on he hunch of the Canadjan officer," was prosecutor's answer. "We had to strip Benny to get to the naked truth."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you uphold the validity of Benny's being stripped?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that while the power of customs officials to search at borders is broader than the powers of other officials within the interior of the country, the power is not exempt from the requirements of the 4th Amendment even though search warrants are not required, nor must the vigorous standards of probable cause be met. There must be reasonable reason for search. In this case, concluded the judge, there was no reasonable basis for any suspicion that Benny was engaged in smuggling marijuana, the fact that he was dressed like a hippie notwithstanding.

(Based upon a 1969 United States District Court Decision)

The Prayer
from
The Upper Room

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God ... And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us. (John 1:1,14)

PRAYER: O God, with gratitude we acknowledge our need of Christ, the Word made flesh. Guide us in our study of the Bible and strengthen us by Thy spirit for the living of these days. In the name of the Master, who taught us to pray, "Our Father who art in heaven .....Amen."

Weather Rated Factor in Lower Traffic Toll

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Traffic accidents during the long Christmas holiday weekend cost the nation 601 lives.

The National Safety Council, which had estimated 800 to 920 deaths would occur in traffic mishaps, said severe weather over much of the country may have held down the death toll.

The council speculated that poor traveling conditions were responsible for fewer motorists on highways during the four-day holiday period that ended at midnight Sunday.

Prospect for Cotton Exports Not Cheery

WASHINGTON (AP) — Prospects are not bright for expanding U.S. cotton exports during the 1970s because of a continuing trend toward more manmade fibers and rising competition from other cotton-producing countries, says an Agriculture Department analyst.

During the past decade, says Dewey L. Pritchard of the Foreign Agricultural Service, world use of cotton increased by only seven million bales annually to around 52.8 million in 1968-69.

At the same time, Pritchard said today in a report, manmade fiber expanded by an equivalent of nearly 34 million cotton bales from 7.5 million a decade ago to about 51.2 million last year.

Cotton's share of the world market dropped from more than 70 per cent to 51 per cent during the 10-year period.

This has resulted in a sharp slowdown in world cotton trading. Total imports in 1958-59 were 14 million bales, and last season were only around 16.5 million, Pritchard said.

Increased production in other countries and the slower rate of utilization has cut deeply into U.S. exports.

In the last 10 years, U.S. cotton exports have ranged from a peak of 7.2 million bales in 1959-60 to 2.7 million in the 1968-69 season, Pritchard said, and "prospects for the current season show little improvement" from a year ago.

Much of the world cotton export requirement has been filled by other countries. Ten years ago the U.S. share of the trade was 42 per cent. Last year it was 17 per cent.

"Two things have to be done," Pritchard said. "The steady erosion of cotton's share of the total fiber market must be arrested by better cotton product development and promotion, and U.S. cotton must maintain against foreign competition the primary position that it has held in world cotton trade."

New Comedy By Simon Rated Hit

NEW YORK (AP) — Broadway's master comedy writer, Neil Simon, has done it again with "Last of the Red Hot Lovers" which premiered Sunday night at the O'Neill theater.

In turning out another certain boxoffice hit, the millionaire dramatist travels a bit further toward his objective of being more than an ace gag-man, of making audiences think as well as laugh.

"Red Hot" concerns a chubby, middle-aged man and three hilariously futile attempts at romantic adventure. Jokes are strung together and looped and intertwined. But among them Simon with affectionate understanding is looking at human frailty, and balancing current moral freedom against traditional middle-class virtues.

In a part that his talents fit with perfection, actor James Coco portrays a bumbling everyman searching for one grand moment, murmuring as he goes, "Life goes out of its way to ignore me."

As his trio of unachieved mistresses, Linda Lavin registers every nuance of femininity intent only on satisfaction; Marcia Rodd comes on as a genially paranoic entertainer who beguiles him into a marijuana detour; and Doris Roberts is the funny-pathetic essence of matronly disenchantment.

Simon's skill at shifting comedy characterization is well matched by Robert Moore's understanding direction. Oliver Smith puts the tale in one of those bright living room sets that might be anywhere but this time happens to be in a Manhattan apartment.

"Red Hot" is the ninth show Simon has provided since he arrived on Broadway in 1960, and is a good start on a second decade.

Viet Trainees In U.S. to Rise Sharply in '70

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Some 4,200 Vietnamese enlisted men and officers, compared to 465 last year, will be trained at the 16 bases of the U.S. Air Force Air Training Command during fiscal 1970 a spokesman says.

The figure includes 4,000 men who will take technical courses in such fields as electronics, the ATC headquarters spokesman said.

Only about 400 took technical training last year at the 16 bases, which stretch from Georgia to California.

About 200 Vietnamese officers will take pilot training this fiscal year, compared to some 65 during fiscal 1969 which ended June 30, the spokesman said.

The pilots are all officers and undergo the same training as U.S. students at the various bases. Most of the technical courses are for enlisted men.

All first must go to the Lackland Air Force Base Language School here to familiarize themselves with the English language and particularly technical terms relating to their training.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Ponderosa Pines Dying of Smog

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. (AP) — Twenty years ago, needles on forest giants in mountains east of Los Angeles began turning yellow. Many trees have since died and hundreds of thousands are dying.

The trees, soaring more than 100 feet tall, some more than 700 years old, were Ponderosa pines, among the largest in the woods.

Foresters at first were baffled. They called be problem X disease and blamed it on some insect. Eventually, however, they tabbed the villain: smog.

The agent that withers the needles is a smog ingredient called ozone.

Prevailing winds carry smog from Los Angeles, 60 miles west, into the 60,000 acres of Ponderosa in the San Bernardino and San Jacinto Mountains, whose peaks jut nearly two miles high.

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A CENTENNIAL symbol and theme has been adopted for use by the College of Agriculture at the University of Missouri - Columbia during 1970 - its 100th year. According to Elmer R. Kiehl, dean of the College, the symbol emphasizes the College's concern for Missouri agriculture and also notes its international role.

Missouri College of AgricultureCentennial

COLUMBIA - Missouri agricultural education at the college level will celebrate its 100th birthday Feb. 24. On that date the college of agriculture at the University of Missouri will be a century old.

According to UMC Chancellor John W. Schwada, 1970 has been declared the College of Agriculture Centennial Year. During the year state, area, county, and local programs will be held to call attention to the role of the College in Missouri agriculture.

Elmer R. Kiehl, dean of the College, said the College's role during the coming years will be emphasized in most Centennial activities.

Kiehl said a College of Agriculture Centennial Steering Committee has been at work several months planning Centennial Year activities.

One of the early concerns of the Centennial Steering Committee was the design and selection of a symbol to use in conjunction with Centennial activities. The symbol adopted for use during the Centennial Year notes the College's contributions to and concern for Missouri agriculture.

In the approved symbol, a heavy bold outline of the state emphasizes the College's great concern for agriculture in Missouri.

At the same time, a concern for international agriculture is also expressed in the symbol's shape -- an ellipitical projection of the world.

A head of wheat, the traditional symbol of agriculture through the centuries, is included in the symbol.

The heads of a man and woman, within the boundaries of the map of Missouri, symbolize the College's concern for people.

The College's Centennial Steering Committee also selected a theme for Centennial Year activities. The theme is "Finding A Better Way." The theme describes the College's past successes and its future goals for people everywhere. The theme also indicates that the College's goal is a continuous one.

Members of the Centennial Steering Committee are Dick Lee, agricultural editor, chairman; Ray Schroeder, professor of horticulture; Ralph Rogers, assistant to the dean; John H. Longwell, dean emeritus of the College; Clarence E. Kilingner, professor of agricultural economics; and Elmer Ellis, president emeritus of the University.

In addition, Douglas E. Ross, a College of Agriculture artist, worked closely with the committee in transferring the ideas of the committee into the approved symbol.

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Draft Call up For February

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon announced today a draft call of 19,000 men in February, a sharp increase over January.

A Pentagon spokesman noted that the higher draft call for February follows four months of low quotas.

The February induction quota fits roughly into Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird's prediction that draft calls for 1970 will total about 225,000 men, a decrease of about 65,000 from 1969.

The February quota, which will send 18,200 men into the Army and 800 in the Marines, compares with 12,500 in January.

Monthly draft calls last year ranged from 22,000 a month to more than 33,000 a month until the fall when President Nixon sharply cut them back, reflecting the growing momentum of the U.S. withdrawal from Vietnam.

The Pentagon stretched out the 29,000-man quota for Ooctober over the entire October-November-December period.

Under currently approved plans, the United States will have reduced its Vietnam commitment by more than 108,000 men as of mid-APRIL.

At the same time, the Pentagon has ordered a cutback of more than 260,000 in the over-all strength of the U.S. armed forces, reducing the need for draftees.

Meanwhile, the government has put into effect a new random selection system of drafting young men.

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — South African wines should have South African names, parliamentarian and wine connoisseur Senator Paul Sauer believes. Sauer accused local wine farmers of lacking pride in their product when they labelled it "claret type", "burgundy type" or "champagne type". An Alsatian wine farmer "would rather die" than call an Alsace wine a "Moselle type", though he lived within six miles of the Moselle River. "How then can we, who are 6,000 miles further away, make an 'Alsace type' or a 'Burgundy type' wine?" Sauer asked.

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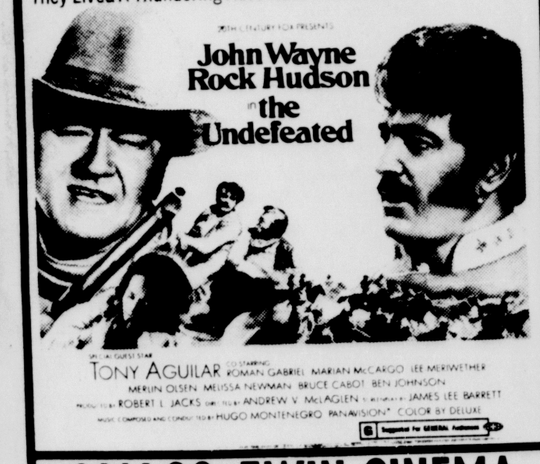

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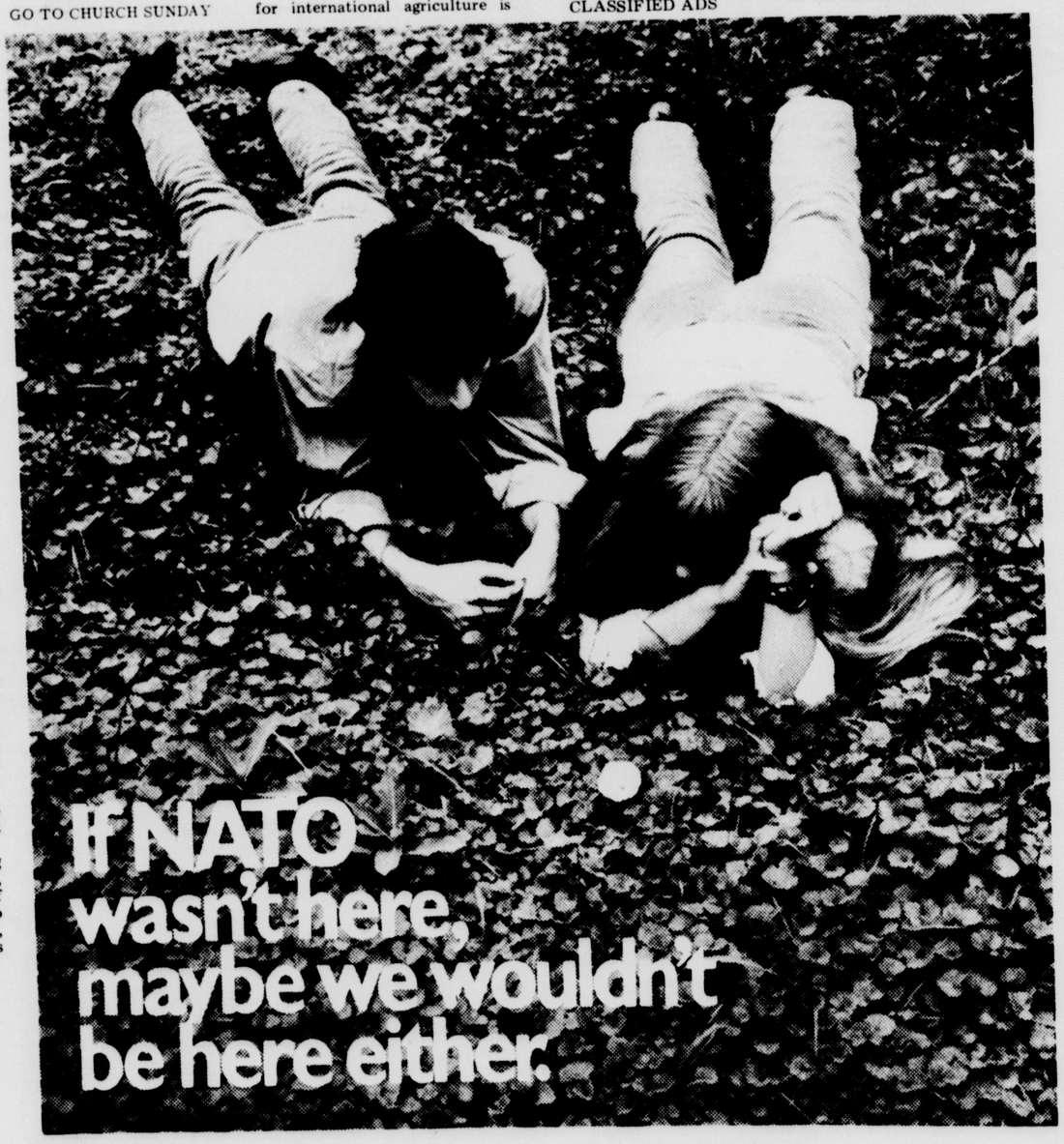

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Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Tuesday, Dec. 30, the 364th day of 1969. There is one day left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1853 the United States and Mexico signed the treaty for the Gadsden Purchase—an area of 45,000 square miles in what is now New Mexico and Arizona.

On this date:

In 1865, English author, Rudyard Kipling was born in Bombay, India.

In 1903, more than 500 persons died when flames swept the Iroquois Theater in Chicago.

In 1911, Dr. Sun Yat-sen was elected the first president of China by a revolutionary provisional assembly.

In 1943, U.S. Marines captured the airfield at Cape Gloucester, New Britain, in a Pacific battle with the Japanese.

In 1947, King Michael of Rumania agreed to abdicate, charging that he was being forced off the throne by Communists.

Ten years ago: Democratic Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey of Minnesota became the first declared candidate for president in the 1960 elections.

Five years ago: President Lyndon B. Johnson sent a New Year's message to the Soviet Union suggesting moves both to limit the spread of nuclear weapons and secure a worldwide halt to nuclear testing.

One year ago: Two crewmen of the USS Pueblo described beatings by North Koreans during their 11 months of captivity.

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3 Put	33 Forward	63 Looks
4 Best	34 Try	64 Duties
5 Letters	35 Attached	65 Rich
6 Beware	36 The	66 Too
7 Silly	37 Animals	67 Ideas
8 Re	38 And	68 Distance
9 Go	39 Ready	69 Or
10 Good	40 Good	70 Count
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SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"The boss noticed me today. He called me what's-his-name."

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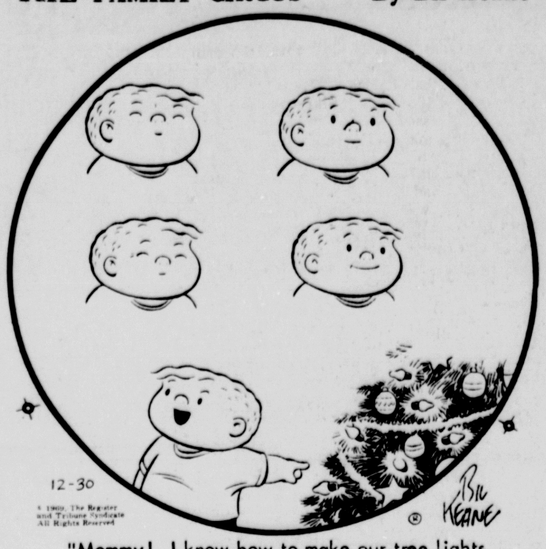

"Mommy! I know how to make our tree lights the blinkin' kind!"

CARNIVAL by Dick Turner

"A $7.50 a week raise, Miss Shaw, is a lot of money!"

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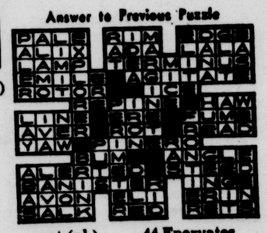
"Look at it this way: it's like falling off a horse—you have to fall in love again right away or you'll always be afraid of romance!"

Variety

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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26 Health resort
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30 Australian ostrich
32 River (Sp.)
33 Legal point
34 Freudian term
35 TV quiz group
37 Malt brew
39 Bud's sibling
40 Droop
42 Mariner's direction
44 Steamer (ab.)
45 Jellylike material
47 Greek letter
49 Biblical mountain
53 Bother
55 Open to public perusal
56 Card game
57 Confectionery
58 Privations

(Roman relig.)
3 Musteline mammals
4 Biblical name
5 Present month (ab.)
6 Perfume
7 Entangle
8 Donkey (comb. form)
9 Vigor
10 Likenesses
11 Devoured
12 American wild plum
19 School of whales
22 Musical dramas
24 Challenge
25 Milkmaid's seat (pl.)
27 Ending of a prayer
29 City in Latvia
31 Employs
35 Freebooter
36 Loiter behind
38 Compound ethers
39 Mere trifle
41 Coupled
43 Emaciate
44 Enervates
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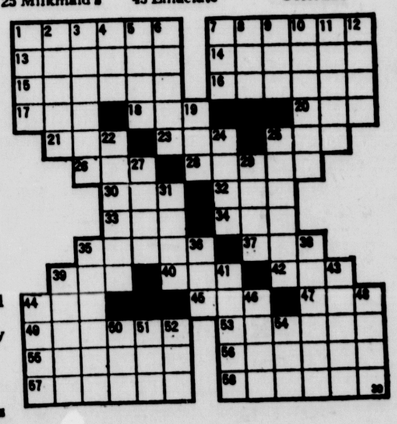

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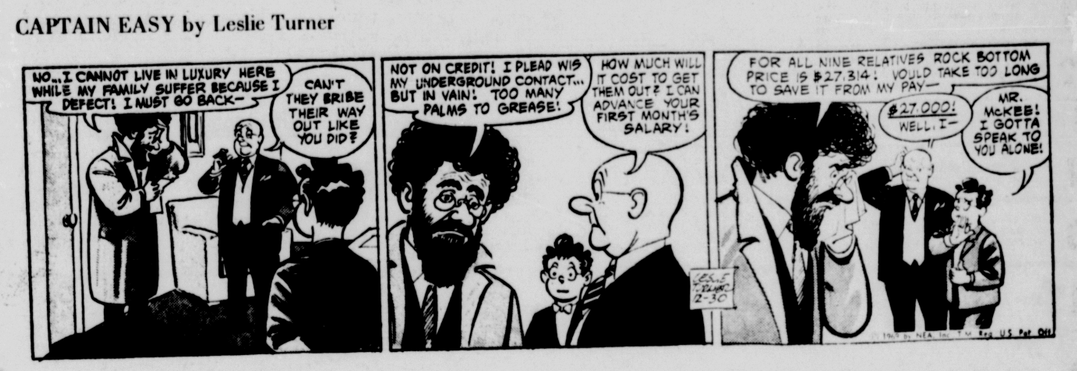

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Size of Drinker Factor In Rate of Intoxication

CHICAGO (AP) — A 180-pound man might drink five bottles of beer before he gets drunk, but three bottles would do it to a 120-pounder.

The heftier man might drink five shots of whiskey before falling "under the influence," but four would do for the little one.

And all holiday drinkers should remember that even the "average" drink has a mind-dulling effect for an hour after it is consumed.

These are among the guidelines for drinkers set forth by the American Medical Association and the National Safety Council in a new campaign to teach drinkers how long the effect of a drink lasts and what it does to their driving ability.

They believe the campaign is a more realistic approach toward drunken driving. More than 25,000 of the 55,200 automobile fatalities in 1968 involved alcohol consumption, and the organizations concede that past campaigns urging drivers not to drink at all have had little effect.

The council and the AMA have prepared charts relating drinks and body size to the degree of intoxication.

Most states consider a person with a 0.15 per cent concentration of alcohol in the blood to be "under the influence." But some states, federal agencies, the AMA, and the Safety Council recommend that a person with a 0.10 per cent alcohol concentration in his blood be presumed "under the influence."

Among popular alcoholic drinks, beer contains the lowest percentage of alcohol while whiskey and rum have the highest, but—because of the size of the drink—cocktails such as martinis and manhattans are the most intoxicating.

A 120-pound drinker reaches the 0.10 per cent concentration level with slightly more than three bottles of beer. The 180-pound drinker would have to consume five bottles to reach that limit.

The 120-pound whiskey drinker would reach the 0.10 per cent level with less than four one-ounce shots. The 180-pound drinker could have five.

One and a half martinis or manhattans would bring the 120-pound drinker to the 0.10 limit. Just over two would bring the 180-pounder to that level.

If a driver doesn't follow the ideal course of total abstention, the two groups suggest:

—Drink in a way that will keep you from being under the influence when driving.

Neosho Names City Manager

NEOSHO, Mo. (AP) - Randelle J. Hayes, 57, will become city manager at Neosho Jan. 6, according to Mayor Wayne C. Insco.

Hayes, city manager at Chanute, Kan., from 1957 until last summer, will replace William Christopher who submitted his resignation early in December. Christopher announced he will return to a post he formerly held as assistant city manager in Westminster, Colo.

Hayes told the Neosho City Counsil he had been in Chanute 12 years and felt it was time for a change in that community. He began as city manager in Wray, Colo., in 1946, and later served as city manager in Colby and Augusta, Kan., before going to Chanute.

Car Stolen at Charleston

CHARLESTON - A 1966 yellow Mustang was reported stolen Friday night from the used car lot at the Courtesy Ford Company, Dewey Boyd, manager, reported to police.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — New crop corn futures were sharply higher in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade Tuesday.

On the opening, wheat was unchanged to ½ cent a bushel higher, March 1.47¾; corn was ½ lower to 7/8 cent higher, March 1.20¾; oats were unchanged to 1/8 lower, March 63¼ cents, rye was unchanged to ¼ lower, May 1.15 5/8 and soybeans were ¼ to ½ higher, Jauary 2.47¼.

OBITUARIES

MRS. WILLIE GRISSOM

CHARLESTON - Mrs. Willie Lee Grissom, an elderly resident of route three, died at 7:30 p.m. Sunday in her home following a two-month illness.

Mrs. Grissom was born in McComb City, Miss., and had lived in rural Charleston 45 years. She was a member of Olive Grove Baptist Church and a member of Heroines of Jericho Lodge.

The former Ena Turner married Mr. Grissom in November of 1935. He survives. Other survivors are two stepdaughters, Mrs. Margie Williams, Charleston, and Miss Lurlee Grissom, Jr., East St. Louis; a brother, Fred Turner, Summit, Miss., 11 grandchildren, 10 great - grandchildren, and four great - great - grandchildren.

The body is at Sparks Funeral Home.

BRINKLEY SMITH

EAST PRAIRIE - Brinkley Smith, 84, a retired farmer of rural East Prairie, died at 1:45 p.m. Friday afternoon in his home following an illness.

Smith was born June 26, 1885 in Trenton, Tenn., and had lived in Mississippi County since 1942. He was a member and a deacon at Mount Eria Baptist Church. He was a member of Rough Ash Masonic lodge of Charleston.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Rosie Lee Smith; two daughters, Mrs. Eva Mae Lomack and Mrs. Pauline Williams, both of Freemont, Ohio; three sons, Elmer Smith, Washington D. C., Issac Smith, Freemont, and J. C. Smith, at the home; seven grandchildren, and eight great - grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in Mercy Seat Baptist Church in Charleston with the Rev. H. L. Talver, pastor of Mount Eria Church, officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery in Charleston with Sparks Funeral Home of Charleston in charge.

Rough Ash lodge conducted graveside rites.

LUCY FOLLOWELL

BLOOMFIELD - Mrs. Lucy Janet Young Followell, 83, died Sunday at 9:10 a.m. in a Cape Girardeau hospital.

She was born Jan. 10, 1886, in Bloomfield, and lived her entire life in Stoddard county.

Mrs. Followell was married July 16, 1905, to Ira Martin Young who died June 23, 1955. In July, 1958, she married Wm. Followell, who died in November of 1958.

Mrs. Followell is survived by one son, Everett Young, Bloomfield; four daughters, Mrs. Ethel Kelley, Mrs. Ollie Hester, Mrs. Edna Moore and Mrs. Edith Hester, all of Bloomfield; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Delia Pope, Cape Girardeau; 18 grandchildren and 29 gr at - grandchildren.

The body is at the Chiles - Cooper Funeral Home. Services were Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the funeral home by the Rev. W. Foster and the Rev. Robert Hollands. Burial was in the Mt. Zion General Baptist Church Cemetery, Walker.

BERT D. STARR

MOREHOUSE - Bert D. Starr, 57 - year - old retired farmer and resident of near Morehouse, died Saturday at his home on Route one, Sikeston.

Born at Wild Cherry, Ark., Oct. 31, 1912, he moved to Missouri 42 years ago.

Among the survivors are six children: Mrs. Geraldine Buckley, Sikeston; Doyle and Don Starr, both of Route 1, Sikeston; Mrs. Sue Butrum, Bell City; Mrs. Fredia Heath, Decatur, Ill., and Harold Starr, Gary, Ind. There are seven grandchildren.

Also remaining are two brothers, Tom Starr of Pontiac, Mich., and Lofton Starr, San Jacinto, Calif., and four sisters, Mrs. Goldie Moore and Mrs. Willie Montgomery, both of Malden; Mrs. Zelma Ward, Holcomb, and Mrs. Rebecca McFarland, Sacramento, Calif.

Services were at 1 p.m. Tuesday in the Watkins & Sons Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Bill Meeks, Bertrand, officiated and burial was in the Pine City cemetery near Holcomb.

VIRGIL MEDLOCK

DEXTER - Virgil Utah (Bill) Medlock, 51, a farm implement salesman, died Sunday evening at Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Medlock, a life-long resident of Dexter, was born on May 19, 1918. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, and the General Baptist church. On Nov. 13, 1937, he married Goldie Killian, who survives.

He is also survived by a son, Ted Medlock of route one, Charleston; one daughter, Mrs. Phil Tatum of Ironton; one grandchild; a brother, A. R. Medlock of Denver, and two sisters, Mrs. Harley Williams of Bloomfield and Mrs. Enoch Johnson of Petoskey, Mich.

Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Rainey Funeral Chapel. The Rev. W. R. Elledge will officiate and burial will be in the Dexter cemetery.

Visitation began at noon Tuesday at the funeral home.

TOM HENRY FRALEY

Tom Henry Fraley, 71, resident of 823 Matthews St., died in Missouri Delta Community hospital at 10:30 a.m. Monday.

He was born Feb. 28, 1898 in Perry, Tenn., was a retired employe of E. C. Robinson Lumber Company and a member of Emanuel Baptist church.

He was married Mar. 8, 1918, to Jimmie Della White. She survives.

Other survivors include two sons, James of St. Louis and Jerry Fraley of Sikeston; two daughters, Mrs. Wilson Staggs of Sikeston and Mrs. A. J. Nelson of Nashville,; one foster daughter, Mrs. Mary Roberts of St. Louis; one brother, Willis of Clifton, Tenn.; three sisters, Mrs. Sallie Hinton of Collinwood, Tenn.; Mrs. Cora Bartley of Waynesburg, Tenn.; and Mrs. Lula Short of Kokomo, Ind.; eight grandchildren, six great - grandchildren and three foster grandchildren.

Friends may call after 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Jackson Funeral Home.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Jackson Chapel with the Rev. Cecil Adams officiating.

Burial will be in Garden of Memories cemetery.

Congress first exercised its power to declare war in 1812.

Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
1st Nt. Bk. of Sik.	5¾	6½
Anheuser Busch	72¾	73¼
Ark Mo Power	12¾	13¼
Calverts Explor	4¾	5¼
Frontier Tower	2	2½
Hamilton Cosco	12¾	
Olson Bros.	3	3½
Malone & Hyde	19	19½
Mo Beef Packers	26¼	
Pabst Brewing	45	45½
R. H. Medical	16½	17½
Wetterau	24¼	25

LISTED STOCKS

Airlift Int.	2
Allied Stores	28½
Amer Tel & Tel	49¼
Chrysler	33¾
Columbia Gas	25½
Eaton Mfg.	39
Ford Motors	41½
New Eng. Elec.	21¾
Transogram	13¼

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

Five Most Active Stocks

The Dow- Jones Industrials at noon were down .59 on volume of 5,860,000 hares.

US Plywood	31 3/8 — 7/8
Occ.	24 1/8 — 5/8
Texaco	29 7/8 — 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul.	21 1/8 — 1/8
Gen. Mot.	68 7/8 + 1/4

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AT & T	49 1/8
Anheuser Busch	72 ¾ b
Ark-Mo Power	12 7/8 b
Banff Oil	10½
Chrysler	33 7/8
Ford	41 5/8
General Motors	68 7/8
Butler Nat.	11½ b
Perini	6½ b
Transamerica	25¼
Zapata Norness	13¾
Evans Prod	36
Keystone Ind.	39½
	9 3/8

These prices were provided at approximately 12 Noon today by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, 151 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. You can call TOLL-FREE for quotes or other information by dialing 1-800-392- 3430.

Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) - Estimates for Wednesday: hogs 5,000; cattle 1,000; calves 50; sheep 500.

Hogs 7,500; barrows and gilts 75 to 1.25 lower; u.s. 1-2 150 head 200-220 lbs 28.75; u.s. 1-3 200-230 lbs 28.00-28.50; 230-250 lbs 27.50-28.00; u.s. 2-3 240-270 lbs 26.75-27.50; u.s. 2-4 260-280 lbs 25.00-26.00; 280-300 lbs 24.00-25.00; 300-350 lbs 23.25 - 24.00; u.s. 1-2 170-180 lbs 26.25.

Cattle 2,000; calves 50; slaughter steers; choice 950-1,050 lbs 28.25-29.00; 1,050- 1,200 lbs 27.50-28.50; mixed good and choice 950-1,050 lbs 27.25-28.50; slaughter heifers; choice 900-975 lbs 27.75; 750-1,000 lbs 27.25 - 27.50; mixed good and choice vealers 38.00-40.00; good 32.00-36.00.

Sheep 800; slaughter lambs; choice 90-105 lbs 28.00-29.00; slaughter ewes good and choice 6.50-7.00.

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JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Mitchell dropped Dodd income tax case to get senator's support; justice department uses double standard in handling bribe cases; senator Dobb juggled his vote in the juge Haynsworth showdown

Lilbourn Man Injured

LILBOURN — Mike Baughman, 20, driving a 1964 Ford Mustang, was injured in a railroad crossing accident at 11:38 a.m. today.

The Mustang was carried 441 feet. Baughman was taken to the Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Henry H. Heeb, 63, Chaffee, was the engineer of the Frisco freight train.

Rohan Ruled Insane

JERUSALEM (AP) — A special Israeli court ruled today that Denis Michael Rohan was mentally ill when he set fire to the Al Aksah Mosque in Jerusalem and ordered him confined to a hospital for treatment.

Presiding Judge Henry Baker said there was no doubt that the 28- year- old Australian set Islam's third holiest shrine ablaze Aug. 21, but that he acted on an "irresistible impulse" and was not punishable under Israeli law.

Rohan, sitting in the bullet-proof glass booth he occupied during 21 days of testimony and argument, blinked his eyes when he heard the verdict but remained seated.

The three- judge court gave Rohan 45 days to appeal the hospitalization order.

Rohan will be taken to the Talbiyeh mental hospital in Jerusalem. The Jerusalem district psychiatrist said a government psychiatric commission will review his condition from time to time, and if his mental state improves, it could recommend his release.

Rohan admitted setting the fire, but his attorneys denied criminal responsibility because of his mental condition. Psychiatrists testifying for the defense said he was an acute schizophrenic with "paranoid and grandiose delusions."

Three Accused Of Theft

CHARLESTON - Felony charges were filed in magistrate court Monday morning against Richard Leroy Clark, Billy Joe Garrett, and Willard Wilson, all of East Prairie.

The three are charged with breaking, entering, and stealing. The three are accused of attempting to enter the East Prairie Lumber Company the morning of Dec. 24 and failing to do so, breaking into a Coke machine and taking approximately $7.

They are free on $2,500 bond.

Three Injured

The New Madrid country road accidents resulted in three injuries.

Monday in Matthews, Jewell Gross went to Missouri Delta Community hospital, where she was treated for cuts on her forehead.

A 1965 Ford, driven by John Ernst, 19, Matthews, at 10:30 a.m. was struck by a 1966 Chevrolet, driven by Byron Hardin, 19, also of Matthews, the state patrol reported.

The Gross woman was a passenger in the Ford. The driver of the Ford was given a summons for failure to yield the right - of - way and for improper registration.

On Scott Street in New Madrid today at 1:45 a.m., two occupants of the car suffered back injuries.

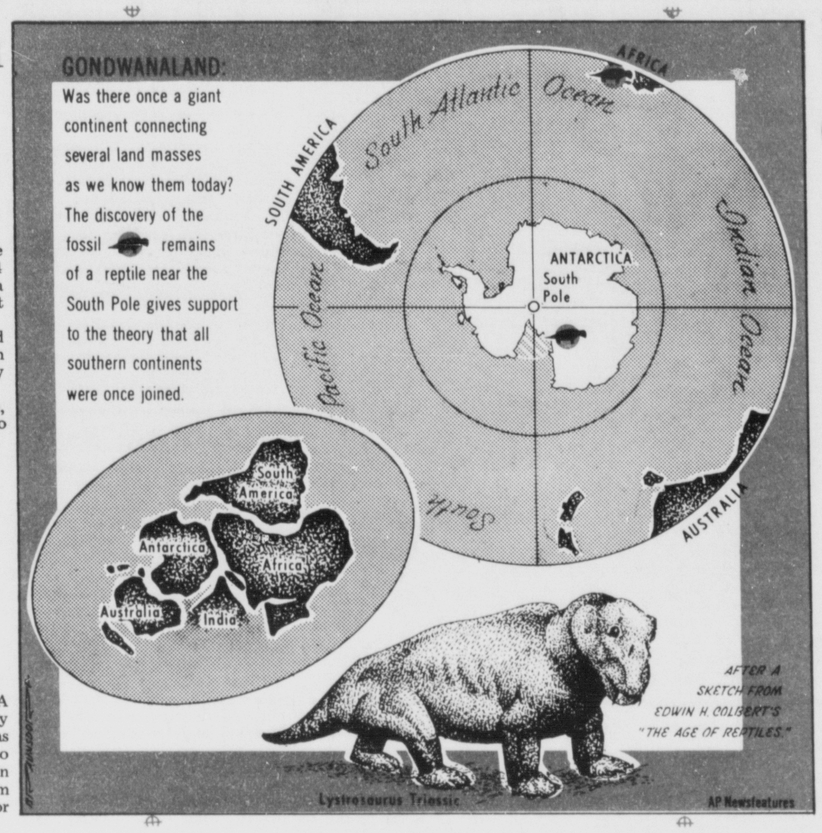
Larry Pigg, 30, New Madrid, driving a 1958 Ford, struck a street island causing the car to overturn.

Both he and Buddy Kimball, 42, New Madrid, were taken to Missouri Delta Community hospital.

Record Highway Death Toll May Be Averted

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — Missouri's traffic toll, apparently headed for a record figure at the beginning of December, now has a good chance of finishing 1969 short of the 1,438 lives lost in 1968.

The toll for 1969 stood at 1,420 today, just level with the 1,420 recorded at this date last year.



Scientists Say Continents Once Joined

WASHINGTON (AP) — Not so very long ago -- a mere 250 million years or so -- there was a huge land mass on the earth which consisted of what we now consider five continents and subcontinents joined together.

Exactly where this huge area was located is not certain, but it consisted of Africa, South America, Antarctica, India and Australia, stuck together like pieces of a huge jigsaw puzzle.

The latest authority for the theory is a four- foot salamander that liked to wallow in mudbaths with his highly placed nostrils and eyes poking above the surface-- sort of the reptile family's answer to the modern-day hippopotamus.

The National Science Foundation has received word that a newly discovered fossil of the reptile -- Lystrosaurus -- is positive proof of the previously speculative theory of continental drift.

Dr. Laurence M. Gould, scientific leader of Adm. Richard E. Byrd's first expedition to Antarctica in 1928, reported to the National Science Foundation recently the discovery of the Lystrosaurus fossil in the frozen wastes near the South Pole.

Gould and another geologist, Dr. Grover Murray, both of whom are members of the National Science Board which oversees the NSF, said the fossil was found in the first bed of reptilian and amphibian fossils discovered in the Antarctic.

Scientists have speculated Antarctica once was warm ever since the discovery of veins of coal in the remains of large trees were discovered along Beardmore Glacier, not far from where Lystrosaurus was found.

There was a striking similarity between the fossil vegetation of the glacier and that of India, South America, Australia and Africa, and a number of scientists became persuaded that those areas probably were joined together during the Permian period, about 250 million years ago.

Scientists explained the close relationship in vegetation by speculating there was a giant continent, linking what are left as land masses, which later below sea level and disappeared.

Others imagined a hypothetical land mass they arbitrarily named Gondwanaland, after the Gondwana region of India, and suggested the continents and subcontinents as they are known today just drifted apart.

But most geologists declined to accept the continental drift theory, arguing that vegetation seeds could easily have been airborne from one isolated land mass to another, without the need for land bridges.

But with the discovery of Lystrosaurus in the Antarctic, the supporters of drifting continents are on firmer ground. Similar fossils have been discovered in Africa and Asia, and it is not considered possible that the reptile could have traveled from continent to continent any other way than by land.

Explorer- geologist Gould said in his report to the National Science Foundation that the discovery of the reptile fossil in Antarctica has established the former joining of all the southern continents "beyond further question."

Bill Burlison Will Be Honored At Dinner

Congressman Bill Burlison will be honored at an appreciation dinner at the Ramada Inn Jan. 17, with a reception starting at 6 p.m. and the dinner at 7 p.m. Congressman Jim Symington will speak.

Lenzie Beck, chairman of a committee, in charge of arrangements announced that, due to the size of the district, it will be necessary to have more than one dinner, emphasizing that everyone is welcome but that the event was planned for the counties of Scott, Stoddard, Mississippi and Cape Girardeau.

Tickets for the event are on sale for $10 per person and sponsor tickets for any amount over $10.

Beck said:

"We in the 10th District have had strong and meaningful representation in Congress. Our district can be proud of Congressman Burlison's firm stand on the issues and his record in the 91st Congress."

Christmas Tree Pickup Thursday

The Jaycees will pick up Christmas trees Thursday between 5 p.m. and 6 p.m. Trees should be placed near the street for pickup.

Three Treated

Three were treated at Missouri Delta Community hospital Monday:

David A. Boardman, Cape Girardeau, caught fourth finger in exerciser cutting finger; Wilma David, Sikeston, cut hand on butcher knife; Jewel W. Gross, Matthews, car accident.

Weather

Travelers warning. Freezing rain changing to light snow and ending tonight. Lows in the 20s. Wednesday partly cloudy. Highs 35 to 40. Probabilities of precipitation tonight 60 per cent.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today were 37 and 29 degrees. Rain and freezing rain measured .60 of an inch.

Sunset today ..... 4:51 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow ..... 7:12 a.m.
Moonrise tonight ..... 11:29 p.m.
Last Quarter ..... Dec. 31

The planet Mercury is now moving nearer the sun and growing dimmer. Next May, Mercury will make a transit over the disc of the sun for the ninth time in this century.

News Briefs

Met Opens Belated Season

NEW YORK (AP) - The Metropolitan Opera finally opened on Monday night, despite as many past and present difficulties as an opera plot.

The opera season, delayed by a labor dispute, opened with "Aida." The Met had scheduled its opening 16 weeks ago.

The opera management and unions didn't agree on a new contract until two weeks ago.

Top "society" personalities were missing from the opening night audience which included Mayor John V. Lindsay, composer - conductor Leonard Bernstein and several U. N. diplomats.

Manson May Ask Defense Aid

LOS ANGELES (AP) - An attorney says Charles M. Manson now plans to ask for lawyers to help him represent himself when he comes to trial in the Sharon Tate murder case.

Luke McKissack, a lawyer who specializes in criminal law, told newsmen Monday: "Manson never said he wanted to solely represent himself, but he wants a voice in his own defense so the jury will get to know him."

McKissack said Manson will ask Superior Court later this week or next Monday to permit McKissack to argue the merits of joint counsel.

Warm Applause Greets Agnew

MANILA (AP) - Warm applause greeted Vice President Spiro T. Agnew today as he attended the inaugural of Philippine President Ferdinand E. Marcos.

Tight security accompanied Agnew's arrival for the outdoor ceremony, but as he left after the two-hour inaugural address a friendly crowd of Filipinos surged around him for a closer look.

Both when he was introduced upon arrival and later when President Marcos saluted him at the start of his inaugural address, the crowd of government officials and Marcos supporters applauded the U. S. vice president.

Industrial Developer Predicts Good Year Ahead for Sikeston

"I think 1970 will be a big year for Sikeston," Clem Beal, president of the Sikeston Industrial Development Corporation, told the Rotary club last night at the Rustic Rock Inn.

The corporation was formed in the 1950s to attract industries to Sikeston. Beal said that its activities are being financed from interest paid on $30,000 of city funds received in payment for a building occupied by Anchor Toy Corporation. There are 21 members.

"Sometimes we have as many as 12 industrial prospects here in a week," Beal said. "Prospects may return three times before making a decision."

Beal reviewed the work connected with inducing the National Lock Company to come to Sikeston and told how the corporation cooperates with a state agency to attract industry.

Beal praised "the three Sikeston banks" for providing interim financing for the National Lock property until funds become available from a bond issue.

"If we obtain one industry for every 75 prospects we are doing a good job," he said in relating keen competition for manufacturing plants.

Beal said that a rubber company decided to locate in Henderson, Ky., after members of his organization made a trip to California to try to get it to come to Sikeston. He said that this industry preferred a larger city than Sikeston.

"We have a good labor force available in Sikeston," he said.

The corporation has eight sites under option as possible locations for industry.

Beal was introduced by Don Bohannon.

Alex Waters, president of the club, reported that four food baskets were delivered to needy families at Christmas at a cost of $80 after an appeal was received from the city welfare office. The club voted to reimburse members who paid for the food.

Melvin Cokenour was a guest of Melvin McMackins, who was cited for attending 100 consecutive Rotary meetings.

Emily Bruce entertained at the piano.

Nixon Signs Tax Bill · But Warns Of Budget Balancing Measures

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon signed today the biggest tax revision bill in a generation, clamping down on many loopholes but also passing out more tax reductions than he had recommended.

But he warned that he will "take the action I consider necessary to present a balanced budget for the next fiscal year."

He also signed a landmark bill on coal mine safety.

Nixon's tax statement indicated the budget will be tight on expenditures, but was silent as to whether he will also recommend tax increases to make up for the revenue losses occasioned by the bill.

The bill contains several provisions benefitting taxpayers with incomes under $100,000, especially those at the low end of the income scale. It also includes an across-the-board increase in Social Security benefits.

In a written statement, Nixon said:

"Congress has passed an unbalanced bill that is both good and bad. The tax reforms, on the whole, are good; the effect on the budget and on the cost of living is bad."

Nixon said the bill favors spending at the expense of saving and "this will restrict the flow of savings to help build housing, to provide credit for small business firms and farmers, and to finance needed state and local government projects. It will make our fight against a rising cost of living more difficult."

He said, "I sign it because I believe that, on balance, it is a necessary beginning in the process of making our tax system fair to the taxpayer."

Asst. Secretary of the Treasury Edwin S. Cohen said that the bill would produce a net increase in revenues for the next two years but then drop into deficit.

Thereafter, he said, the reductions will begin to offset the gains and ultimately will level off at about $2.5 billion. But he said that if the growth in the economy is taken into account the losses in future years could be as much as $7.5 billion.

When the new tax law is fully effective, in 1973, more than nine million persons will be relieved of all tax by a low income allowance. A typical family of four in the $7,500 bracket would save about $170.

The higher Social Security payments are effective Jan. 1, but the raise, with retroactive payments, will first be felt in April.

The average retired couple will receive $196 a month, compared with the present $170.

In addition to the low income allowance and expansion of the standard deduction, individuals will receive tax relief through a gradual increase in the personal exemption from $600 to $750. Single taxpayers will get a break, moving their rates closer to those paid by married couples who split income.

The act reduces the oil and gas depletion allowance from 27½ per cent to 22 per cent.

High-bracket taxpayers, generally those receiving $100,000 or more a year, will be hit by several provisions. The principal one is a new minimum tax to be paid on large amounts of income that enjoy special preferences under the revenue code.

In addition, a number of preferences are trimmed directly, including hobby farming and some kinds of large charitable gifts of value-appreciated property.

High-bracket recipients of capital gains will pay more tax —the 25 per cent maximum would no longer be available on gains above $50,000. The maximum tax rate on corporate gains will go from 25 to 30 per cent.

New stricter rules are imposed on private foundations and their investment income is taxed at 4 per cent.

The bill also continues the income surtax at 5 per cent through June 30, repeals the investment credit for business purchases of equipment and continues present excise taxes —all measures for which Nixon asked.

$100 Fine, License Suspended

Frank Duckworth, 308 East Kathleen, was fined $100 in magistrate court this morning on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Judge John Hux ordered the defendant's driver's license suspended one year.

James E. Moore III, assistant Scott County prosecuting attorney, represented the state.

Virgil D. Foster, Dexter, was fined $50 for speeding. A no driver's license charge against Foster was dismissed.

A preliminary hearing for R. T. Woods and Sam Moore Jr., Sikeston, charged with felonious issue on a bogus $10 check to the Liberty Super Market, was set for Jan. 6.

Kenneth R. Wages, Vanduser, was fined $5 for careless driving.

Harold Ethridge, route two, Sikeston, was fined $20 for speeding.

Charles Wilson, Morehouse, was fined $10 for improper vehicle registration.

A preliminary hearing for Robert L. Brown, St. Louis, was set for Jan. 6 on a charge of felonious theft.

Four Charged With Careless Driving

Police this morning reported four have been charged with careless driving. They are Ronald Crawford, 217 Alabama, Robert L. Neal, Buckingham, Ill., Charles Baugher, Lee Street, and William McCoy, 111 Westgate.

Michael to Confer With Gilmore, Court

BENTON - Scott County Collector Aubrey Michael and Prosecutor Tom Gilmore are scheduled to meet tomorrow with members of the county court on a reported shortage of about $50,000 in the collector's office and additional bond coverage for Michael.

Thursday is the deadline for Michael to comply with an order from the county court to raise his bond coverage from about $450,000 to $750,000 because the collector has not been making regular daily deposits of receipts, Gilmore said.

Gilmore has said Gov. Warren Hearnes will be notified of a vacancy in the office if the additional bond coverage is not made.

Michael would not elaborate on the issue this morning, saying only: "We are gonna discuss the matter tomorrow."

A meeting was originally scheduled today, but one of the county judges is ill. Gilmore said he doesn't believe tomorrow's conference will be open to the press but added a statement probably will be issued following the meeting.

The shortage in the collector's office was reported following a reported strong armed robbery the night of Dec. 8 when deputy collector J. W. "Dub" Shuffit was in the court house.

More Inclement Weather Heads For New England

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

More inclement weather was expected to hit New England late today or tonight, according to the U.S. Weather Bureau at Boston. But the bureau said residents need not fear a repeat of the post-Christmas storm that left many areas still in trouble today.

A four-day storm that began late Christmas Day and continued through Sunday left some 60 inches of new snow in parts of Vermont and up to 50 inches in sections of central and western Massachusetts.

Officials Adopt Attitude on New Draft Law

By CHARLES BRADY

The new draft lottery system law will become effective Thursday and selective service officials decline comment on its effect.

Draft officials at Charleston in Mississippi county and Bloomfield in Stoddard county were wary of making any direct statements until after the law goes into operation.

A selective service official at Charleston said that meeting of draft officials in Poplar Bluff cleared up many of the questions that she and other officials had concerning the new lottery system. The official refused to say what questions were answered or left unanswered.

Mrs. Calvin Nebel, executive secretary of the selective service at Benton in Scott county, stated in answer to a question concerning the new lottery drawing that will be held near the end of 1970:

"Only those boys that become 19 in 1970 will be included in the drawing. Those who were 19 to 26 as of Dec. 31, 1969 will keep their original number."

Mrs. Clara St. Mary, executive secretary of the selective service in New Madrid county, said that a quota of eight men will be called by the New Madrid selective service under the new lottery system to be inducted Jan. 21 at Memphis.

Under the old draft system in the county, 10 men were called in January a year ago and four in December of 1969.

The draft official said that 13 will receive calls for pre-induction examinations for Jan. 21

Mrs. St. Mary said that the meeting at Poplar Bluff clarified the new lottery system and provided answers to questions that personnnel were aware of at this time. However, she said that because the new system hasn't functioned, it is believed additional questions or problems may arise later that will need to be clarified.

One draft board spokesman expressed the feeling that while it was generally believed if a draft vulnerable man were not drafted this year, he would more or less be virtually free of the draft and that this would not necessarily be so.

Under the new lottery system, men will be called in sequence of their birth date according to the random lottery selection list and may include men from 19 to 26.

A hypothetical case explained: A man 23 years old, who received a student deferment by signing SS form 104, a waiver of dependents, has now graduated from college. He has been reclassified as 1A and is subject to draft according to his birth date sequence, although he is now married and has a child.

Nineteen thousand men will be called in February in the nation, a sharp increase over the 12,000 January call.

Tax Reform Act to Bring Relief But Many Pay Checks to Be Smaller Next Week

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Tax Reform Act promises a brighter tomorrow for John Q. Taxpayer, but in fact, he may —and in many cases will—find a smaller paycheck next week.

Quirks in Internal Revenue Service figuring of withholding tables and the resumption of Social Security taxes for everyone earning over $7800 a year means some withholding amounts will go up instead of down when the new law takes effect New Years Day.

The largest change is the Social Security levy. The tax is collected on the first $7800 of a year's income. That point passed in October for people earning $10,000 and in the summer for people with $15,000 yearly salaries.

In many cases, the tax more than outweighs the fact that the new bill cuts the income tax surcharge to 5 per cent from 10 per cent.

The situation will change in July, when the law's provisions raising the personal exemption and the minimum standard deduction first take effect, and the surtax expires entirely.

But the law is so new that IRS hasn't had time to work out the bulky tables it needs to say how much any particular taxpayer will take home then.

But an IRS expert did figure the changes in withholding for three average families with yearly income of $5,000, $10,000 and $15,000, paid weekly. In each case he assumed the family consists of a man, his nonworking wife and their two children and that they take the minimum deduction of $600 each.

Because of "a mathematical quirk" in the complex formulas, IRS said, the man with a $5,000 salary, paid at $96.15 a week will have $6.10 in taxes taken out instead of the $5.70 deducted during 1969.

Added to this is $4.62 a week in Social Security taxes, but because his salary is below the $7,800 cutoff point, he paid that all year and there will be no change.

He will take home $85.43 instead of $85.83 but will be able to recover the extra 40 cents a week when he files for a refund at the end of the year.

If the man's yearly income is $10,000, his tax will drop to $23 a week from $23.70. He hasn't paid Social Security taxes for a couple of months, however, so he will have an additional $9.23 deducted, for a total of $32.23, and will take home $160.08 of his $192.31 weekly salary.

When income rises to $15,000 the difference is slightly more pronounced. Income tax will take a bite of $41 from the $288.46 weekly salary instead of $42.70 this year. Add to that, however, $13.85 for Social Security—not paid since summer— and takehome pay comes to $233.61.

None of the figures includes salary increases for extra deductions such as those for insurance, retirement plans or union dues.

POW Terms Sought

PARIS (AP) — The United States handed North Vietnam a list today of U.S. military personnel missing in Southeast Asia and asked it to identify those on the list it is holding prisoner.

Ambassador Philip Habib, acting U.S. delegation chief at the Vietnam peace talks, also called on Hanoi to allow neutral inspection of its prisoner of war camps and then to negotiate an exchange of POWs.

Delivering the list of the missing to Col. Ha Van Lau, Hanoi's No. 2 delegate, Habib said at the 48th weekly session of the talks:

"My government is taking this action in the hope that your side, even at this late date, will indicate which men are prisoners and those whom you know to be dead, as a matter of humanitarian concern for their families.

"As for the physical treatment of prisoners, there is evidence that prisoners held by your side have been subjected to solitary confinement, as well as to other forms of physical and mental duress. Your side has made no systematic effort to repatriate sick and wounded prisoners."

Habib said the North Vietnamese apparently want to use the prisoners as "pawns in bargaining for an over-all settlement of the war."

North Vietnam's chief delegate, Xuan Thuy, is boycotting the talks to protest President Nixon's refusal to name a blue ribbon successor to Henry Cabot Lodge.

Habib's appeal for prisoner of war negotiations went unheeded by Col. Han Van Lau, who sat in for Thuy.

Ice Coats Streets

Residents in most parts of the Bootheel were greeted by a thin sheet of ice on roads and walks this morning. The highway patrol reported roads, particularly in the northern part of the troop E district, were slick, although the main highways were cleared some by traffic.

Blacktop roads in the area were extremely hazardous.

Streets in Sikeston were generally slick and sidewalks proved hazadous to pedestrians.

Numerous minor traffic accidents were reported in Sikeston. Several vehicles were reported to have left roads due to icy conditions.

The forecast called for additional freezing rain, sleet and possibly snow this afternoon and night.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!
HOLIDAY TRAFFIC

Although total traffic fatalities increase from year to year, it can be argued that driving has become progressively less risky. The National Safety Council reports 46,450 traffic deaths in the first 10 months of 1969, as compared with 45,000 deaths in the first 10 months of 1968. A more meaningful comparison, however, is between the fatality rates per 100 million miles driven in the two periods. The 1969 rate, the council says, is 5.2, a slight drop from 1968's 5.3 and 1967's 5.4.

But there is no blinking the fact that more Americans die in highway accidents every year than have been killed in the Viet Nam war to date. In the 12 months ended Oct. 31, 1969, there were 56,650 traffic fatalities in this country. This averages out to approximately 155 deaths a day. So the well publicized holiday weekend death tolls really are not much more alarming than the carnage that takes place on an ordinary weekend or weekday.

Roads and automobiles are safer than they used to be. The driver remains as unpredictable as ever. The drinking driver is of course especially dangerous. And since the Christmas - New Year season traditionally is a time of imbibing, to say nothing of crowded roads, the prudent driver will plan to travel cautiously if at all.

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The lady with 7 kids, asked how she coped with "em, replied: "we've a big house, a big yard, and I hide sometimes, too."

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MANY DON'T UNDERSTAND

According to the Citizens Public Expenditure Survey, Inc., New York, "... There is a place in the financing of governmental services for sharing federal tax dollars with the states and for sharing state taxes with localities. But that sharing is not a gift from a good fairy. Government has no money of its own. Every dollar it spends must be raised by taxes. There are a great many people who do not seem to understand that elementary fact of life. Perhaps it is because they like to think of government as a power which can give them the things they want at no cost to themselves..."

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GOODBYE TO THE SIXTIES

We have just passed the seventh decade of this - the Twentieth - Century. it was, as decades go, an unusual mixture of events. They ranged from tragedy to happiness.

The Sixties began with a presidential election year. Before the decade's end, four men had occupied the White House - Eisenhower, Kennedy, Johnson and Nixon. Two of those men would not see the end of the ten - year span.

The worlds of Jules Verne and H. G. Wells became reality during the Sixties. The United States was stunned by the fact that the Soviets managed to beat us in the orbiting of the earth. But before the end of the decade, Americans - not one, but four - were the only humans to have left their footprints on the lunar surface.

Many great personalities, including three presidents, died in the Sixties - Sir Winston Churchill, Eisenhower, Hoover, Kennedy, General Douglas MacArthur. The world of the motion pictures lost such greats as Clark Cable, Gary Cooper, Marilyn Monroe, two of the Marx Brothers, Judy Garland, and, perhaps, the greatest loss of all in the field of entertainment - Walt Disney. Opera lost Kirsten Flagstad. Catholics lost Cardinal Spellman and Pope John XXIII. Three astronauts died in a fire on the test pad - Chaffee, Grissom and White.

The underworld lost Lucky Luciano. And the Communists lots two heads of the CPUSA - William Z. Foster and Eugene Dennis. Che Guevara was finally stopped in his attempts to subvert Latin America. On the other side of the fence, Whittaker Chambers, who exposed Alger Hiss, died in the Sixties.

Assassinations were too often in the news of the decade. In 1960 the pattern was set with attempts on the lives of the heads of state of South Africa, Venezuela and Japan. Murders invaded the United States political scene, just following the assassination of South Vietnam's President Ngo Dinh Diem, with the murder of President John Kennedy by a Marxist. Political murders of the Sixties included Martin Luther King, Senator Robert F. Kennedy and Nazi leader, George Lincoln Rockwell.

Only the year to come can tell what noted personalities were born in the era just past. Some will be evil. Others will be great, and good. Some will move people foreward to a better world; others will be a detriment to society. It is awesomely apparent that in the coming years we are going to need men and women who will be great, and good.

Those born in the last decade whose lives will be dedicated to good, or evil, in the decades to come, are in our homes, and schools, and churches right now. Who, then, will determine the kind of a world we will have? (Do you have a mirror handy?)

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You're ripe for trouble when you're green with envy.

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Ben Franklin said it: "Children and Princes will quarrel for trifles."

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Herb Cathey says: "It's tough traveling behind someone who leaves no stone unturned."

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I AM A REACTIONARY!... I AM A REACTIONARY! .. I AM A REACTIONARY! ... I AM A

Considerable propaganda effort has been made over the past several years to give the word "reactionary" a dubious if not downright disgraceful connotation.

Our liberals would have you believe that a reactionary is a completely old - fashioned person who is seeking to stem the tide of progress and keep the hands on the clock stopped.

Ever since the Communist revolution in Russia the Reds have used the term "reactionary" to describe anyone who did not agree with their malicious schemes.

Recently, for example, the Russians, as their armies marched into Czechoslovakia, claimed that the Czech liberals were reactionaries. The Communist claim, in short, is that theirs is the "wave of the future" and that anyone opposing them is old - fashioned and holding back progress. Such persons should be relegated to the world's rubbish heap, they claim.

Regardless of the connotation given "reactionary" by our liverals and the Communists, it is comforting to know there are still some around.

Recently a Canadian, Patricia Young of Vancouver, British Columbia, wrote a letter to the editor of the Nashville Banner, which has been entitled "I Am a Reactionary." Her thoughts on the matter:

"Just for the record - and without apology - I Am a Reactionary! I react to sin and sadism, riots and revolution, gutlessness and godlessness! I react to hedonism and humanism; to philosophies and sophistries which seek to destroy those values which made this country great; which fashioned the fabric of civilized mankind.

"I react to dancing the permissive polka with those who'd whirl me all the way to hell while whispering that God is dead and the Devil a myth; to those ministers who'd convert my house or worship into a hootenanny hall or a political forum.

"I react to the emasculation of my faith in the name of humanistic togetherness; to my love for the Holy Bible, my loyalty to the flag, and my esteem for the police.

"I react to being scourged with the last of collective guilt - as if I personally poured liquor down the alcoholic's throat, peddled the heroin, mugged the little old lady, created the slum, and invented The Bomb.

"I react to the glorification of welfarism over work; pot over pink lemonade; The Pill over purity; demonstration over dedication; desire over discipline; nihilism over nobility; selfishness over sacrifice; hauteur over humility; 'rights' over right.

"I react to the portrayal of my American friends as 'Fascist Beasts' and Ho Chi Minh as Santa Claus; to those who consider love as nothing more than the sex act; who preach 'peace' to promote surrender. I react to student radicals who are so enamoured of their own worth that they must destroy all other worths - who are FOR nothing except their 'right' to be against everything.

"I react to the stupefying sentimentality of amateur do-gooders who, like carved wooden monkeys, see no evil, speak no evil, and hear no evil - even when it runs riot with a shotgun, Molotov cocktail, or plastic bomb; who would rewrite 'Little Red Riding Hood' to have her 'rehabilitate' the wolf while screaming 'hatemonger' at the rescuing woodsman!

"You'd better believe I'm a reactionary. In my book, it's time all responsible adults began reacting instead of suffering the insults and intimidation of a noisy minority who would sacrifice their own freedom and ours on the altar on atheistic materialism. If we did, the kooks and creeps would soon crawl back under their rocks, and this tired old world would have time to bind its wounds and regain its sense of humor."

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G. B. Greer confides that first a man learns to talk -- after many years he learns to keep still.

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We want to offer our congratulations to Gov. Warren Hearnes on his veto of the St. Louis area H.D.C. grant.

It is time that the taxpayers money is stopped being used in the defense and promotion of militant organizations.

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We had not seen the new Air Mail stamp depicting the landing of the first man on the moon until a post office employe handed us five of them when we asked for Air Mail stamps at the window.

Of course, stamp collectors know these unusual stamps will be very valuable later on and we understand some grandparents have purchased these stamps for their grandchildren, telling the youngsters to hang on to them.

It is a beautifully printed stamp and we intend to buy more of them for mail we will send friends and relatives around the world and the U. S.

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CHURCH MEETING !!!

TOMORROW
DECEMBER 31 - WEDNESDAY
GREAT FESTIVALS OF ST. SLYVESTER. Dec. 31. Funchal, Madeira Island.

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Students who go to a correspondence school, having no campus and no college buildings to sit-in, have decided to picket the postoffice.

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In reducing salon: "Let us help you win the losing game"

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"Careful, honey," cautioned one airline stewardess to another, "if you're carrying anything up front. They have the automatic pilot on."

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The world is in sorry shape when not even the U. S. Mint can make an honest buck.

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STIFFER STUDY GRIND AHEAD

"No more pencils, no more books ..."

That happy children's chant seems doomed to go the way of the little red schoolhouse if predictions voiced at the first annual educational planning conference at Auburn University in Alabama come true.

Tomorrow's students will be spending more and more of their lives in formal study. By the end of the century, said one speaker, educational systems will have been extended downward to include three - year - olds in all 50 states.

"Compulsory university education is coming also," said Dr. L. O. Haaby of the University of Tennessee. "This will be necessary because life will be so complex that the schools will be unable to do the job in the time they have at present."

It's a brave new world in the making, but a lot of folks may be just as glad they were born too soon to see it.

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NOW ARE YOU HAPPY?

If you find a mistake in this paper please consider it put there for a purpose. We try to publish something for everyone and some people are always looking for mistakes.

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Hoover Dam has been visited by more than 22 million sightseers.

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In locker room of country club: "Please drive carefully - last week three persons were hit by golf balls"

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"One thing I have learned in my long experience with the fair sex," said the sly looking one to his drinking companion, "is that you can't trust a woman with brown eyes!"

"Zounds!" exclaimed the other, "I've been married for two years and it just occurs to me that I don't know what color eyes my wife has."

He bolted from the bar and whipped home. His wife was in bed, asleep. Creeping closer he lifted her eyelid.

"Brown, by Gawd!" he roared.

Brown crawled out from under the bed and said, "How the devil did you know I was under here?"

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UNAFFECTED

The young interns were discussing theories about prenatal influence.

"Obviously, there's no such thing," scoffed one. "It's been disproved time and time again. For example, before I was born mother broke a huge batch of phonograph records, but it's never bothered me ... never bother me ... never bothered me."

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"My wife explored my pickets last night."

"What did she get?"

"About the same as any other explorer - enough material for a lecture."

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Dozer Operator to his girl friend: "Is my face dirty or is it my imagaination?"

Gal: "Your face is clean but I can't say about your imagination."

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The Army cook had just whipped up orders of fried eggs for a hungry group of soldiers. Wearied, he sat down, lit a cigar and wrote to his trusting sweetheart: "Darling ... for the past three hours shells have been bursting all around me ..."

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In hardware store: "Our bug spray will make your ants yell uncle"

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"I came out of the stock market with a small fortune."

"You must have been smart or pretty lucky."

"Nope, neither one. I went into it with a large fortune."

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A man, pinned underneath his overturned car after an accident, was asked by the policeman:

"You married?"

"No," replied the man, "this is the worst fix I've ever been in!"

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His first day in the Army, the recruit was issued a comb, and then the company barber shaved off all his hair. The second day he was issued a toothbrush, and then the dentist pulled all his teeth. The third day he was issued an athletic supporter, and he went A.W.O.L.

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Warning on a fence surrounding a fruit orchard: God help those who help themselves.

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CITIZEN GENERALS

There is no mystery why the Pentagon has been dismayed by attacks of ROTC at so many college campuses. The services would be in bad shape today were it not for a steady influx of college - educated officers.

According to Army News Features, the most recent figures show that 27.9 per cent of the Army's general officers received their commissions through ROTC. That's 145 generals out of a total of 519.

Of the 145, 82 are brigadier generals, 59 are major generals, three are lieutenant generals and one is a full general.

H.L. Hunt Says

TAKING A STAND

Recently a group of patriots organized Voices in Vital America (VIVA) to provide information to college students about communism and the farleft. This group is an excellent example of how the ordinary citizen can take a stand against subversion in this county.

One of the Southern California leaders of VIVA, a veteran of both warld wars, said: "Our educational instutions have been successfully invaded by the far left revolutionaries who would destroy this great nation from within."

He went on: "VIVA- Campus Studies has the answer by employing a student approach to the problem that no amount of legislation and governemnt can accomplish."

One of VIVA's projects is a "freedom caravan", a group of knowledgeable speakers who would tour the country, speaking to college and high school students. The caravan could also make use of movies and recordings to communicate its message of patriotism and freedom.

Another project is to provide information about the farleft to school libraries. Although much of this information is already available, not nearly enough of it is found in school libraries, where it is most needed. VIVA will see that schools obtain copies of such documents as FBI reports on subversion.

Plans are also underway for parades and rallies to be held on Independence Day. VIVA hopes to revive the custom of patriotic observances on this day.

The need to counteract farleft influence in higher education is obvious. The organizers of VIVA have devised one way of meeting this need. Groups of this kind can be invaluable in helping our young people to learn the truth about their country and the world. HLH

Doc. Duncan Says

Gramp what do they mean when they say the politicians is comin home to mend their fences?

You see they got the people fenced in on ever side wid unreasonable , unethical, unconsitutional laws and the grass in that carrel is gittin short and tough. So's the grass looks greener on the other side and the boys in the saddle is afered the people will stampede and bust that carrel fense like they did in 64 and 68.

Yep but what if they is some loco - weed mingled wid that green grass?

So what? Free pot wid good picking

Hal Boyle

By HUGH A. MULLIGAN
AP Special Correspondent

LONDON (AP) — Does London swing? Really swing?

Ever since BOAC, the stateowned airline, had to scuttle its swinging singles flights because of a frightful flap in Parliament, the tourist guides and bobbies on the beat have been understandably evasive of the question.

"London swing? Come off it. Why you can't get a meal in this town after midnight ... It's duller than Aberdeen," ventured Moira McKenna, from Aberdeen, who does the bossa nova, nude, while accompanying herself with twin bull whips at Soho's Nell Gwynne Club.

The silver haired gentleman dozing beneath his copy of the Times in one of the high ceilinged windows of an exclusive Pall Mall Club had the contrary opinion.

"Jolly right, it swings. You'd blow your mind at some of the carrying on around here: pot, mate swapping, group-ins—the lot. Some of the chaps can hardly wait till midnight to nip over to the chemists' for the next day's fix. On the National Health, you know."

Even the visible evidence is conflicting.

See the King's Road in Campy Chelsea at high noon any Saturday. The dolly birds in their micro-minis or kinky crocheted slacks sauntering forth arm in arm with the long haired lads in the owlish spectacles, long Edwardian frock coats and Al Capone fedoras.

For another view, see the barristers (or are they solicitors?) alighting from the underground at Temple Bar in their bowler hats, furled brollies and striped pants. Or pop along to Kensington Park and see the nannies pushing their prams in sturdy tweeds and sensible shoes.

Reassuring wot? Then you learn there is more here than meets the eye.

The chaps in the bowler hats, so the theater managers say, often outnumber the hippies on queues outside "Pajama Tops," "Hair" and the "X" films, the gamey ones where nothing is left to the imagination except the dialogue, which is in Swedish.

London swing?

The architecture is grey and depressing; the weather frequently frightful: fog, rains, bone rattling chills. Queues form for buses and movies. The great London pubs, those last bastions of communal bonhomie, suffer under the 11 p.m. tyranny of "time, gentlemen," with certain occupational exceptions. One can get a drink, late at night, in Covent Garden dressed as a truck driver, or, early in the morning, in Smithfield Market. In the land of Twiggy and the Beatles and the maxi-mini, ballroom dancing is still a most popular pasttime.

But the ads and the placards in the underground promise "pregnancy testing." "His and hers matching undies." "Unisex barber shop and beauty parlor."

London swing?

The morning tabloids recently interviewed a bevy of British actresses who professed to have no qualms about performing the sex act on stage "if it validly fitted in with the plot," and the BBC trying to mod up its staid old image, is about to launch a series of sex education programs for 9-year-olds.

London swing?

As Samuel Johnson, that mod old Londoner, said just before the Cheshire Cheese shut down for the night under the licensing laws, whoever is tired of London is tired of life.

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON -- The heavy hand of politics is leaning hard on the scales of justice. It is now evident that Attorney General John Mitchell, the passionless protector of law ans order, is putting politics ahead of the law.

Mitchell not only has dropped the income tax case against Sen. Tom Dodd, D-Conn., this column has learned that he has also made a deal with him not to press the other criminal charges hanging over his hea. The Senator, in turn, has pledged his vote to Mitchell on key issues.

There is abundant documentary evidence that Dodd accepted money and gifts from industries being investigated by committees on which he served; that he took money and loans from people for whom he obtained or attempted to obtain official appointments; that he took money and gifts from people for whom he performed official services; that he interceded with the federal government for his private law clients; and that he charged the government for trips that were essentially vacations.

In most of these instances, Dodd appears to have violated federal law. The Senate Ethics Cottimmee, uncomfortable about investigation a member of its own inner circle, delicately declined to go into these cases but referred them instead ot the Justice Department.

-DOUBLE STANDARD-

One specific charge was that Dobb had pocketed $8,000 in cash from the International Latex Corporation. In return for the money, he has supposed to seek a major ambassadorship for the board chairman, A.N. Spanel. The intrigue proceeded far enough for Spanel's Washington operative, Irving Ferman, to send Dodd a resume about Mrs. Spanel, which noted that she was "fluet in Italian and French."

Mitchell moved recently against International Latex, but as evidence of his deal with Dodd, the indictment, incredibly, didn't even mention Dodd by name. The Justice Department was content to accuse the company of paying off an unnamed Senator.

In contrast, Mitchell bore down hard on ex - Senator Dan Brewster, D-Md., for allegedly accepting a bribe from Spiegel, Inc., a Chicago mail - order house. Brewster didn't pocket the money but treated it as a campaign contribution. Yet the Justice Department indicted both Brewster and Spiegel.

The essential difference in the two cases is that the pathetic Brewster, broken in both health and spirit, has lost his political power. But Dodd is a pivotal member of the powerful Senate Judiciary Committee, which oversees the activities of the Justice Department.

Without him, the committee breaks down to eight conservatives and eight liberals. Dodd has always played ball with Chairman James Eastland, D-Miss., on such matters as internal security. But on other issues, Dodd's voteshave been more responsive to the liberal attitudes of the voters back in Conecticut.

-DODD'S VOTE JUGGLING-

Dodd's vote is crucial to Mitchell, therefore, on close - fought issues. On the two showdown roll calls in 1969, Dodd voted for the administration's anti - missile system and voted inside the Judiciary Committee to confirm Judge Clement Haysnworth to the Supreme Court.

Dodd voted against Haynsworth on the Senate floor, however, after waiting to see how everyone else lined up. It isn't uncommon for key Senators to withhold their votes on close issues until they are sure of the outcome. Not until Dodd knew his vote wouldn't be needed to save Haynsworth, in any event, did he join the 55 - to 45 majority against confirmation.

Significantly, Vice President Agnew left behind his tally sheet, showing how he had expected the vote to go. Among the yeas, nays and "doubtfuls," he had firmaly Marked Dodd in favor of Haynsworth -- evidence that Dodd's vote would have been available if it had been needed.

Attorney General Mitchell, in throwing out Dodd's income tax case, overruled the Internal Revenue Service which had recommended criminal prosecution. Revenue agents spent more than a year unraveling Dodd's tangled finances. They found bank accounts and personal loans all the way from Los Angeles to the Bahamas.

Their call for criminal prosecution not only was approved by both the regional and national IRS offices but also had the full support of Jon Newman, then the U.S. attorney in Connecticut.

However, President Johnson on he eve of his retirement appointed Richard Crane right out of Dodd's office as Newman's assistant. LBJ and Dodd were close personal friends and political allies.

From the day Crane moved into the U.S. Attorney's office, he has worked vigorously to get Dodd off the hook. His strong opposition to criminal prosecution may have had some effect on the Justice Department. But the final decision to drop all criminal charges was made by Mitchell essentially for political reasons.

Note: A Justice Department spokesman insisted to this column that Mitchell had made no deal with Dodd. Insiders, however, say otherwise.

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

COSA NOSTRA NETWORK:
Gov't Evidence Shows Mafia Controlling Hundreds of Local Unions

Washington, D.C.: -- No star is born in a prosecutor's office if he has to poor - mouth it and go, tattered hat in hand, seeking alms from the solons to smash organized crime. We hear much about billions of dollars to rescue the poor and help the working "stiff" but there is a clangorous silence when he talk turns to the pennies it would take to get the Mafia off the backs of the poor, or from the pockets of the working families, or out of the guts of the inner, or outer, city.

Bluntly, just why was it impossible to get $61 million from Congress this soporific year to finance what President Nixon has called "an arsenal of weapons" against La Cosa Nostra? Just why was $2 million kept from special teams gasping for the manpower needed to rescue networks of unions controlled by the underworld? Just who in Congress stalled these appropriations? and why?

These legislators were told confidentially that a special Labor Dept. bureau has identified at least 100 unions controlled outright by LaCosa Nostra -- mostly the Catena (Genovese) and Gambino families -- in the greater New York northern New Jersey metropolitan area. These re powerful in 25 major sectors of commerce and industry. They had the word of the Justice Dept. that there were other such pockets "around Chicago, St. Louis and Miami." They were shown evidence of gargantuan corruption, terror and extortion.

They were informed that the new Justice Dept. anticrime councils and strick forces desperatley needed specialists trained in labor investigations.

It can, and should be reported, that certain congressmen knew that the triphammer Northern New Jersey strike force, led by the 35 - year - old John Bartels Jr., had but one such labor specialist. And that the New York State Anticrime council, directed by a quiet crusader, Dan Hollman, had only one labor - trained agent.

The congressmen knew that these two forces alone had strong leads on corruption in the teamsters, on the waterfront, at the huge freight depots of metropolitan airports, in trucking transportation reaching right across the nation; and in construction unions working on billions of dollars worth of publicly financed projects.

Two men, count them, just two men are all that these public defenders had -- and have -- to probe an unbelievably intricate Cosa Nostra network.

And what's more,the entire Labor Dept. investigatory section, covering 50 states, now has but 183 such specialists. They must handle every facet of the Office of Labor - Management and Welfare - Pension Reports; union elections and the federal government's own relations with its employes. Under new federal directives, starting Jan. 1, and increasing tempo July 1 and Oct. 1, the U.S. itself will have to conduct secret balloting elections among its own employes -- and the Labor Dept.'s special Labor - Management Services Administration staff will have to handle and monitor these. Thus it is now in thee labor relations business.

All this -- and over 70,000 local unions, too, any one of which can be a haven or Cosa Nostra account executives in charge of terrorizing labor.

"We do have some men in he strike forces," I was told by Assistant Secretary of Labor William Usery, in charge of Labor - Management Services, "but if we can't get additional money in some fashion, we will have to pull the specialists out of them for our regular work.

"It is very difficult for us to keep providing more and more personnel unless we bet that money. Just realize, we need three men or women for back - up pork in the Labor Dept. for each full - time special agent in the field."

He estimated athat an additional 80 men would do the trick. And that $2 million would finance the hiring, training and work with other law enforcement agencies in the Justice Dept.'s coordinated anticrime strike forces.

But Congress just would not get up the $2 million. There was pressure against it from within and without to hold out.

Finally diring the week of Dec. 15, Attorney General Mitchell conferred with Labor Secretary Shultz. The latter listened, left and poured on the heat. Mr. Shultz telephoned Senator Norris Cotton (N.H.) on Wednesday, Dec. 17. Mr. Cotton is the ranking Republican member of the Appropriations subcommittee on Labor Management affairs. He called on the committee chairman, Sen. Warren Magnuson (Wash.), whom some Labor's Dept. insiders have charged with a cold lack of enthusiasm over the $2 million suggestion. But this time he went along. Mr. Cotton added the money to the general "Labor - HEW" appropriation bill as an amendment. It went through the House - Senate conference.

But this is not the full story. Even if the money is finally approved , the Labor Dept. will get only part of it. The $2 million originally requested was to cover the 1969-1970 fiscal year, or from the past July lst to next July 1st. That's six months gone now. So at best what's left is $1 million. Since the money may not pour out until next February, even this will be shaven. So it won't be until next July 1, if then, that more than a handful of more than a booth - full of specialists can be trained for the gfight on the Cosa Nostra's own labor specialists.

Meanwhile the mob is in business as usual -- as usual using some locals to force food stores to stock inferior products; using locals to hike the cost of transportation, using locals to add millions of tax dollars to the cost of federal, state and local projects to help the poor, the ill - housed, the ill - clothed, he ill - fed.

Why does it always have to be so -- millions for tribute, pennies for defense against the mob?

Ann Landers

Ann Landers And The London Times ... On Trial

Dear Ann Landers: Your column which reported the marriage between two homosexuals in Rotterdam made a friend of mine very angry. He says he attended the wedding and it wasn't Rotterdam, it was Amsterdam. Furthermore, he insists the priest didn't actually marry the two gay boys -- they were guests at the wedding. While the priest was performing the service uniting the legitimate couple, the boys sort of married each other.

You claim you got the information from a London paper. Which one? I have a hunch your congratulations are premature. -- The Flying Dutchman.

Dear Dutch: The London Times. And I didn't congratulate anybody, I merely passed along the report as it appeared in this distinguished newspaper.

Dear Ann Landers: May I comment on Irked Ida's letter? She is the lady who didn't approve of her friend's dirty dishrag draped over the spigot. I could have kissed you when you told her to keep her pea-pickin' hands to herself.

I have a friend who practically rearranges my furniture every time she comes over for a cup of coffee. She goes through my magazines, throws out the ones she considers old, moves my lamps around to suit herself, changes the water in the goldfish bowl, combs the the fringes on my rugs with a meat fork, and polishes everything in sight. Yesterday she helped herself to a piece of candy from my cut glass bon bon box. After one bite, she announced, "This candy is old!" Then she dumped all the candy into the garbage can.

The woman has a heart of gold and would do anything in the world for me, but I can't stand much more of her take over ways. What can I do? -- Shreveport

Dear Shreve: There's only one way to deal with this revved up, super - octane cyclone.

The moment she makes a move, remind her that she's a guest in your home and that you hate to see your guests work. Tell her it makes you feel like a poor hostess. It's going to be a tooth - and toenail battle between her neurosis and your stubbornness. Lots of luck.

Dear Ann Landers: I think I can help the woman who complained about her husband giving her the silent treatment when he gets annoyed with her. She said he blows up over small things like if she forgets to put the cap back on he tube of toothpaste. When she ran out of beer he got so mad he clammed up for three days.

My husband used to act like that, too. It made me so nervous I developed red blotches all over my body and my hair began to fall out. My doctor said I needed psychiatric help.

When my husband saw the bills from the psychiatrist he suddenly began to talk a lot, like for an hour at a time. Finally I had to tell him to shut up. Then I noticed something strange. As soon as he began to talk, my blotches cleared up and my hair stopped falling out.

Please print this, Ann. It may prove something. -- Well Now

Dear Well: Your letter proves that talk is cheap -- or at least cheaper than psychiatry. It also proves that some women prefer criticism to silence. It is evidence that the guy at least acknowledges her presence.

If you have trouble getting along with your parents ... if you can't get them to let you live your own life, send for Ann Landers' booklet, "Bugged By Parents? How to Get More Freedom." Send 50 cents in coin with your request and a long, stamped, self - addressed envelope.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Sned them to her in care of this newspaper, enclosing a self - addressed, stamped envelope.

New Arrivals

PROFFER — Mr. and Mrs. Tom Proffer of Matthews are parents of a girl born Monday in Missouri Delta Community hospital.

BRYANT — Mr.and Mrs. John Bryant are parents of a girl born in Missouri Delta Community hospital Monday.

ALCORN - Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Alcorn Jr. are parents of a son born in Missouri Delta Community hospital Monday.

DUDLEY — Daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dudley of Scott City, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 3:08 p.m. Thursday. Name, Anita Jo. Weight 8 pounds 2½ ounces. Third child, first daughter. Mrs. Dudley is the former Miss Mary Ellen Doud, daughter of Mr. nd Mrs. Joseph Doud of Riverton, Ill. Mr. Dudley, who is employed by the MFA Insurance Co. at Dexter, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chick Dudley of Braggadocio.

ESSNER — Son to Mr.and Mrs. Paul Essner of Benton, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 7:15 a.m. Wednesday. Name, Curtis Michael. Weight 8 pounds 10½ ounces. Fifth child, third son. Mrs. Essner is the former Miss Geneva Seyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Seyer of Chaffee. Mr. Essner, who is a farmer, is the son of Mrs. Rose Essner of Benton.

In order to overcome the force of gravity, a spaceship must travel seven miles a second, or about 25,000 miles an hour.

Women's Page

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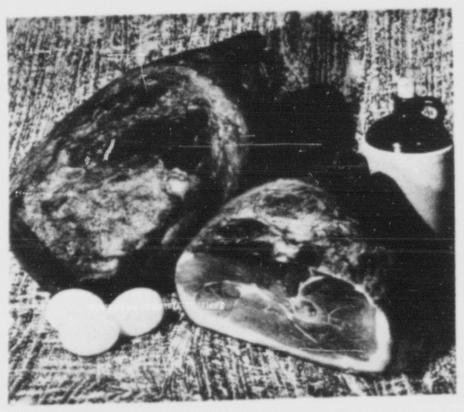


Beautiful, traditional Missouri Country Ham, for breakfast, lunch and dinner.

Missouri Country Ham Wins Winter Spotlight

There was a day in early Missouri when, for their own use, farmers had to preserve their hams. Smokehouses scented the hillsides while the ritual of preparing the treasured family formula of curing ingredients was taking place. From this past day necessity arose a present day delicacy -- Missouri Country Ham.

It seems that things from the past have a way of providing a certain reassurement to the members of this uncertain society. So, this winter, why not offer family, friends and business associates this unique product of Missouri.

There's nothing quite like our Country Ham. The lean and luscious pork along with the generous contributions of secret family formulas passed down provide a large economic asset for Missouri and a zesty flavored favorite known throughout the world.

Our curing ingredients, consisting of a blend of secret proportions of salt, brown sugar, black pepper and saltpeter, are rubbed over the surface of the ham before it goes into hibernation for a year or more. There is a new controlled temperature method of aging that takes four to six months to achieve similar aging results. It is normal and an indication of proper aging for Country Ham to mold. Whole hams need no refrigeration and will not continue to age properly if refrigerated. After approximately ten months of age, some Country Hams form white streaks through the meat that appear as white specks after it is sliced. These are not harmful to eat and are only an indication of a properly aged Country Ham.

During the curing and aging process, the Country Ham shrinks 15-25%. It is necessarily higher in price per pound because of this weight loss through loss of water. The processor also has a longer investment period and must charge for extra time and effort.

Well worth the price, the Country Ham is much richer and more distinctive in flvor than a regular ham.

How to Cook
Country Ham

Note: Country Ham is not fully cooked. It is important that it be cooked in an internal temperature of 170 degrees before serving. The meat thermometer is your most accurate guide to the degree of doneness and relieves you of guesswork.

To Boil: Wash whole ham thoroughly. Trim off any dark, dry edges. Soak ham in water overnight. Change water before boiling. Place on a rack in a kettle and cover with cold water. Bring to boiling point, then simmer, do not boil. Simmer until the thermometer registers 165 degrees. Cooking time-- 15-20 minutes per pound of whole hams. Let ham cool in the broth 4-5 hours. This is part of the cooking process and will bring internal temperature to 170 degrees. Serve cold as is or apply your favorite glaze. Be sure to slice your Country Ham in paper thin slices.

To Bake: Prepare Country Ham exactly as you did for boiling, being sure to soak it. Place ham, skin side up, on rack in an open pan. Bake until meat thermometer registers 170 degrees. Figure about 25 to 30 minutes per pound of whole ham. Remove skin and allow ham to cool slightly. You may serve as is or glazed.

To Fry: Place ham slices in shallow dish; cover with milk. Let stand for 30 minutes. Remove from milk; roll in flour. Melt small amount of fat in heavy skillet; cook ham slowly until tender and browned on both sides.

Graham Says He Attends Rock Events Incognito

HOLLYWOOD, Fla. (AP) — Evangelist Billy Graham says he often attends love-ins and rock festivals incognito so he can get a true picture of what's going on among today's young people.

"I sometimes put on a false moustache and a beard," he told newsmen Sunday after addressing some 2,500 young people at the Miami-Hollywood Rock Festival.

Graham, invited to speak by the festival promoter, said he found the experience refreshing.

"This is the way Jesus did it," he said. "He went to where the people were."

Graham spoke for about 20 minutes Sunday and got a mixed reaction.

The boys and girls sat on blankets in a muddy, strawstrewn field. Some listened intently as Graham urged them to "drop out of your present lives and turn on to the power of God." A few jeered and shouted obscenities, some talked quietly among themselves and a good number slept, exhausted by events the previous night when the last musical group quit at 4 a.m.

"I came prepared to be shouted down," Graham told newsmen, "but I was amazed at the polite way I was treated."

Graham received scattered applause when he mounted the makeshift stage. He got a larger hand when he finished speaking.

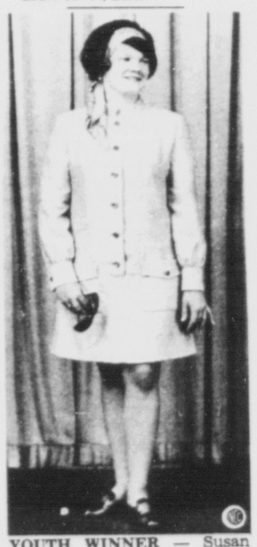
"I think this is a generation of tremendous young people," he said. "Many of them are deeply religious ... you can find it in some of the music if you listen hard enough."

He said he would continue to attend large gatherings of youths to spread the Gospel.

"I'll be happy to come to any rock festival where I'm invited," he said. "I feel I scattered some seeds here today."

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY:
Released:
James Lipsmeyer, Gideon;
Mr. Fay Frey, Flint, Mich.;
Glenda Lawrence, New Madrid;
Helen Ingle, Lilbourn;
Margaret Doris, Burfordville;
Mrs. Judy Brashears, and baby girl, Charleston;
Mrs. Judith Corbin and baby boy, Bloomfield;
Mrs. Joanne Estes and baby boy, Charleston;
Daniel Bom, Sikeston;
James Donner, Sikeston;
Charles Drewer, Sikeston;
Andrea Smith, New Madrid;
Mrs. Faye Taylor and baby girl, Lilbourn;
Mrs. Linda Masterson and baby girl, Sikeston;
Mark Wiggins, Sikeston;
Sandra Williams, Cairo;
DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted
LaVelle Smith, Dexter;
Joseph Whitaker, Dexter;
Lillian Orton, Essex;
Released:
Hattie Pullum, Dexter;
Alice Pullum, Essex;
Delbert Curry, Sikeston;
Lydia Vieth, Dexter;
Harold Alsup, Dexter;
Laura Jones, Essex



YOUTH WINNER — Susan Blackman, Baltimore, Md., models a long-sleeved cotton dress which won her first place in the youth division of the National Grange Cotton Sewing Contest. More than 50,000 garments were entered in the three divisions of the national sewing event.

WOOL TWEED, favorite fabric of clothiers for centuries, is now fashioned into current mod styles. Elizabeth Heather, a student at Three Rivers Junior College in Poplar Bluff, is wearing full flared slacks and a collarless maxi coat. The cowl neck, knit tunic is belted by a chain of rings. Her silver, metallic leather shoes accent the grays of the tweed. Miss Heather is seated on steps to a building in the original 'downtown' area of Sikeston.

DILATORY PATIENTS

Rochester, N.Y. — A study of heart attack victims reveals that it took the average patient more than three hours to make up his mind to seek medical help. Transportation to the hospital usually took an additional 20 minutes.

These findings tend to dash hopes that mobile coronary care units can make a sizable dent in heart disease fatalities, Drs. Sidney Goldstein and Arthur J. Moss, associate professors at the University of Rochester School of Medicine, point out, since the problem lies with human indecisiveness.

Furthermore, case histories of 160 heart attack victims show that the most stricken patients procrastinated the longest in turning to a doctor despite the fact that prompt hospitalization can be lifesaving. The investigators conclude that patients must be trained to recognize and react promptly to danger signals.

The pine is considered the oldest of all tree families.

Alaska is two and one-fifth times the size of Texas

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Keglers' Korner

By HILDRED POOLE

Hello! I hope each and every one of you all had a nice Christmas. My mothers sister, my aunt Nona, is visiting from Alabama and our adopted son Jim Carney is back with us so we are quite happy.

With the holidays several leagues did not bowl last week and are not going to bowl next week either. Maybe when things get back to normal again everybody will really be shooting high. I hope so.

NEWCOMERS 12-9 (late report)

Sparettes 4- Hi- Lo's 0, Percolators 3- Peanuts 1, Professionals 2- Gutter Dusters 2.

Linda Pool rolled high game of 181 and Ginny Deane had high series with 477. The Sparettes took both high game and series with scores of 809-2319.

Splits: Marta Shaw 2-7, Linda Pool 4-5, Debbis Carpenter 2-5-8- 10, Linda Roberts 5-7, Alice Eddleman 5-7 and Emmelene Kerr 5-6.

NEWCOMERS 12-16

Gutter Dusters 4- Sparettes 0, Hi-Lo's 3- Percolators 1, Peanuts 2- Professionals 2.

Marta Shaw took both high game and series with 188-477. The Hi- Lo's rolled both high team game and series with 837-2376.

Bonnie Lindsey picked up the only reported split the 4-5-7.

TUESDAY HOUSEWIVES 12-16

Alley Cats 4- Winners 0, Rollettes 3- Whiffeys 1, Strickers 3- Ten Pins 1, Road Runners 3- Town and Country 1, Sparettes 3- Hecklers 1. Mary Moxley had high game of 211 and high series with a 563. The Alley Cats had high game and series with 1007-2952

DELTA IMPERIALETTES 12-16

Security Natl Bank 4- Reiss 0, Lee's 3- Sikeston Driving Range 1, Barketts 3- Micholeb 1, Imperial Lanes Rest. 2½ - Portageville 1½, Zieglers 2- Harts 2.

Doris Brown rolled high game of 229 and Norma Baker had high series with a 542. Lee's had high team game and series with scores of 1101 - 3034.

Splits: Doris Brown 5-7, Carol Bollinger 5-7, Virginia Little 5-7 & 5-10, Alice Patterson 5-7 and 4-6, Gayle Taylor 5-10.

ROYAL KEGLERS 12-17

C. D. Alcorn 4- Liberty 0, Todd 4- Bank of Sikeston, 0, Lewis 3- Herb Stephens Real Estate 1, Malone & Hyde 3½- Busch ½, Hope 3- Wades 1, Higgins 3- First Natl Bank 1,

Flora Croutehrs rolled high game with a big 222 and Thelma Hampton took high series with a 553. Lewis Furniture took both high team game and series with 1058 - 3051.

Splits: Thelma Hampton 5-8-10, Ann Cannon 5-7, Doris Cruther 2-7-10 & 5-7, Mary Meyer 3-10.

FRIDAY BOWLETTES 12-19

City Light 4- A & B Laundry 0, Bank of Sikeston 4- Intl Shoe No 1-0, Bud Davis Chevrolet 4- Bridger 0, Caproco 3- Nowell 1, Anchor Toy 3- Rodgers 1, L&A 2½ - Intl Shoe No. 2-1½.

Erma Wilson rolled high game of 198 and high series of 552. L & A had high game of 1019 and City Light took high team series of 2912.

Splits: Wayne Hyde 3-10 & 4-7-8 and Flora Hood 3-7-10.

The Bowlettes did not bowl Dec. 26th but will bowl Jan. 2, 1970.

DELTA IMPERIALETTES 12-23

Zieglers 4- Sikeston Driving Range 0, Lee's 4- Barketts 0, Reiss 3- Imperial Lanes Rest 1, Harts 3- Portageville 1, Micholeb 3- Security Natl Bank 1.

Splits: Virginia Little 4-5, Lois Cokenour 3-10, and Mildred Cockrell 3-10 & 6-7-10.

That's all for now. Have a very Happy New Year and may all you luck be Good.

See you in Two weeks probably.

BREAD - FRESH BREAD

KALISPELL, Mont. (AP) — A bread price war moved into a third month Monday with four one- pound loaves of unsliced white bread selling for 25 cents.

The normal price would be around $1. At one time the loaves dipped in price to three cents each.

What started the war?

"I wish I knew," said James Todd, a baker.

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Tourney Pairings

TONIGHT'S SCHEDULE

At Bloomfield

7:00 -- Matthews vs. Dexter

8:30 -- Malden vs. Bernie

At Cape Girardeau

7:00 -- Portageville vs. Clear Water

8:30 -- Notre Dame vs. Scott Central

At Flat River

6:00 -- Herculaneum vs. Potosi

7:30 -- Flat River vs. DeSoto

9:00 -- St. Pius vs. Farmington

MONDAY'S RESULTS

At Bloomfield

Matthews 55, Advance 50

Dexter 55, Richland 37

Malden 109, Parma 84

Bernie 70, Gideon 43

At Cape Girardeau

Notre Dame, Chaffee

Clearwater, Woodland

Scott Central, I-SC

Portageville, Cape Central

At Flat River

Snowed Out

Rescheduled for Tuesday (today)

Record Tied, Upset Scored During BHS Quarterfinals

BLOOMFIELD — A scoring record was tied and an upset recorded during quarterfinal round action of the 13th annual Bloomfield high school holiday basketball tournament last night.

Malden cracked the century mark and sped past neighboring Parma 109-84 in last night's third game to tie the record for most points by a team in a single game held by Richland in 1963 against Parma (109-68).

Eighth seeded Matthews met its first real test of the season ith a rally and overcame top seeded Advance in yesterday's opener, 55-50.

Dexter staggered Richland 55-37 and Bernie breezed past Gideon 70-43 to complete quarterfinal round action and remain one of the top four teams of the tournament.

The 16- team field has been narrowed to four with that number to be lessened to two tonight as Matthews tangles with Dexter at 7 p.m. and Malden takes on Bernie at 8:30 p.m. in semi- final round action that will find the winners butting heads in a New Year's eve match at 8:30 p.m.

In what might be a preview of the class S regional finals last night, Matthews overcame a big 14- point deficit with a determined second half rally to move into the semi- finals ahead of the top seeded Advance Hornets.

Coach Jim Hart's Pirates on the combination of Carl Bishop's rebounding and pinpoint passing and steals by Clarence Brooks along with the added shooting of Andrew Richardson made the difference.

Advance went cold at the charity stripe where Matthews put them numerous times as its press was aggressive and added to the big Pirate win.

Leonard Robinson put the Pirates ahead (49-48) with 1:51 left in the game with two free throws and went on from there to chalk up the win as Advance made two late ball handling errors that enabled the Pirates to take a 53-50 lead and ease into the win as Brooks netted a pair of free throws with 13 seconds left to ice the game.

Matthews used a balanced scoring attack, led by Bishop's 15 points. Robinson added 11 while Richardson and Brooks 10 each and Kara Nunn nine. Nunn fouled out late in the fourth, just as the Pirates made their move.

Coach Jim Hall's Dexter Bearcats claimed a tight defense on Richland's John Sims and shutoff the Rebel offense to post its 55-37 win.

Sims was checked to seven points after a 34 point performance in its opener against Bell City, the 6- foot- 5. sophomore missed numerous five foot shots.

Richland's Norman Cole, its 5- foot- 9 sophomore guard, took high game scoring honors with 19 points. Dexter's Lloyd Hyten ripped in 17 while teammate Bearcat Mike Lynce added 15.

Dexter did little wrong as is offense clicked with perfection nd its defense was something to behold.

Fans were treated to the scoring likes of the 1950 Puxico quintets in the third game as neighboring Matthews and Parma tied up in a run shoot battle that ended with the second- seeded Wave on top, 109-84.

Willie Wilson and Carl Holloway teamed for 67 points to lead the Green Waves record tying performance as Wilson missed by one point tying the tournament record of most points by an individual held by Harold Persful and Fred Towns, netting 37 before leaving the game in the fourth period.

Parma had three players in the 20's, led by Joe White's 22 and followed by Allan White's and David Wright's 20 points each.

Bernie defensed its way into a 19-4 first period lead and cruised the rest of the way as it enjoyed a 35-12 halftime lead before pushing on for a 70-43 win and semi- final berth.

Don Botsch led a four- player double figure scoring attack for the Mules, netting 15 points. Leslie Brown added 14 while teammates Neal Beckman and Randy Williams added 10 each.

Gideon's Johnny Roberts picked up high game honors with 19 points for the Bulldogs.

Scoring:

MATTHEWS (55)

Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Nunn	3	3	5	9
Bishop	6	3	4	15
Robinson	4	3	0	11
Richardson	4	2	2	10
Brooks	1	8	2	10
Totals	18	19	13	55

ADVANCE (50)

Belong	3	1	4	7
Georger	1	2	1	4
Jenkins	12	3	5	27
Long	4	0	3	8
Ridings	2	0	0	4
Totals	22	6	14	50

Score by Quarters:

Matthews	14	10	12	21 - 55
Advance	16	12	16	6 - 50

DEXTER (55)

Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Hyten	6	5	2	17
Guethle	3	3	4	9
Demarca	1	1	0	3
Roderman	2	0	2	4
Palmer	1	4	1	6
Lynch	7	1	3	15
Northington	0	1	0	1
Totals	20	15	12	55
Cole, Norman	8	3	5	19
Sims	3	1	2	7
Reeves	0	0	1	0
Gaylord	1	3	2	5
Peters	1	0	2	2
Kinder	2	0	4	4
Ayers	0	0	4	0
Totals	15	7	20	37

Score by Quarters:

Dexter	13	11	15	16 - 55
Richland	9	10	6	12 - 37

MALDEN (109)

Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Clayton, Dow	5	0	3	10
Barbar	2	2	1	6
Clayton, T.	1	0	2	2
Gibson	1	0	0	2
Holloway	15	0	1	30
Robinson	1	0	1	2
Shaw	6	0	3	12
L. Smith	4	0	4	8
Wilson, Willy	17	3	2	37
Totals	52	5	17	109

PARMA (84)

White, Allan	10	0	2	20
White, Joe	7	8	3	22
Wright, Ed	1	2	3	4
Wright, David	7	6	3	20
Burnett	4	0	0	8
Williamson	4	0	1	8
Pope	1	0	0	2
Totals	34	16	12	84

Score by quarters:

Malden	28	25	30	26 - 109
Parma	19	22	19	24 - 84

BERNIE (70)

Name	FG	FT	PF	TP
Botsch	7	1	1	15
Brocow	3	8	0	14
Sides	1	1	2	3
Wilson	5	2	2	12
Beckman	4	2	2	10
Brannon	2	0	0	4
McDale	0	0	1	0
Stanfield	0	2	1	2
Williams	3	4	1	10
Totals	25	20	10	70

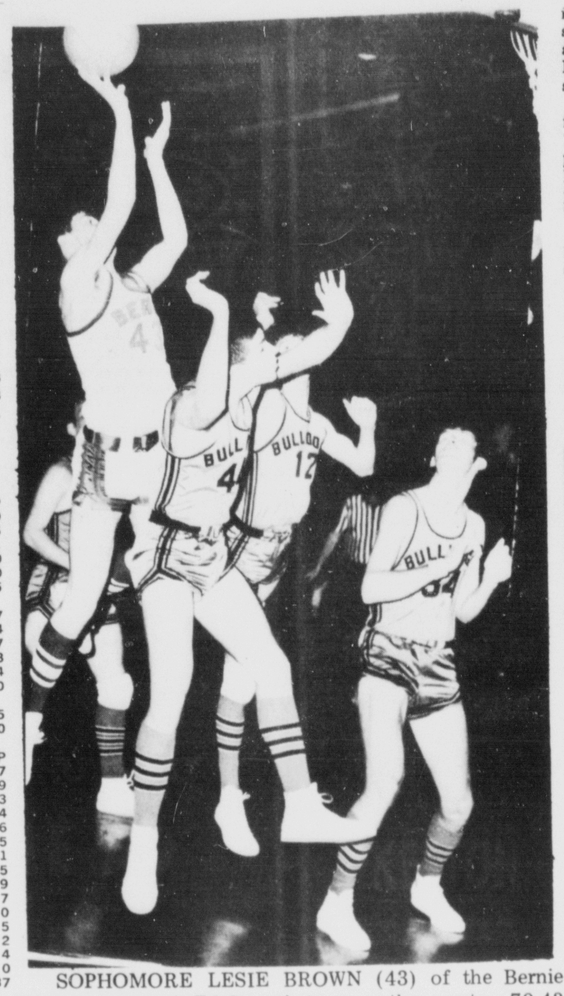
GIDEON (43)

Buchanan	2	2	3	6
Walker	2	2	1	6
Cleaves	1	3	4	5
Lester	1	0	1	2
Littell	1	0	1	2
Murphy	1	1	4	3
Roberts	9	1	4	19
Totals	17	9	18	43

Score by Quarters:

Bernie	19	16	22	13 - 70
Gideon	4	8	11	20 - 43

PIRATES AND HORNETS converge on a lose ball in the opening game of last night's quarterfinals of the 13th annual Bloomfield Holiday basketball tournament. Top seeded Advance was upset in this battle 55-50 by Matthews. Advance's Russell Berrong (45) and Dennis Long (33) seem to have the ball, but Matthews' speedy Clarence Brooks (20) scooped up the lose ball and hustled down floor for a layin.



SOPHOMORE LESIE BROWN (43) of the Bernie Mules gets coach Ed Street's team on the way to a 70-43 win over Gideon in quarterfinal round play last night of the 13th annual Bloomfield Holiday tournament. Brown ended the game with 14 points as the Mules knocked off Gideon, a first round upset winner over Puxico.

Longhorns Post Upset

Not one, but two, Texas Longhorn teams are playing for championships this week.

The Texas football team, ranked No. 1 in the nation, meets Notre Dame in the Cotton Bowl Saturday. The basketball team, a far cry in success from its football counterparts, plays Seton Hall of New Jersey for the Hurricane Classic title in Miami tonight.

The Hurricane Classic is just one of scads of holiday basketball tournaments. The important thing, is that the obscure Longhorns bumped off fifth - ranked Ohio University 73-65 Monday night to gain the final berth.

The unexpected victory won't bring the Longhorns but it boosted their record to 5-4 and brought the Bobcats their first defeat in eight games. The Longhorns jumped ahead to stay 26-25 with three minutes to play in the half. The fumbling favorites managed only 32 per cent from the field but Craig Love grabbed 28 rebounds to break the Classic record and led Ohio to a 55-52 edge on the boards.

Sixth - ranked Tennessee and eighth - ranked Houston were shot down in milder upsets.

Unbeaten by unranked Niagara stunned Tennessee 69-68 in the semifinals of the All College tournament at Oklahoma City. All - American Calvin Murphy scored the winning basket with 13 seconds left to win the Purple Eagles at berth in tonight's championship game against Oklahoma City.

Santa Clara used a tight zone defense to hand No. 8 Houston its first loss in 10 games, 85-63, in the semifinals of the Las Vegas Holiday Classic. It was sweet revenge for the Broncos, since their loss to Houston earlier in the season knocked them out of the national rankings.

In other games involving the Top 20 teams in The Associated Press' new weekly poll, top - ranked Kentucky breezed past miami of Ohio 80-58 with a five - minute 17-5 scoring spree midway in the second half and remained unbeaten in eight games, while No. 2 UCLA beat Ivy League Princeton, but barely, for the Bruin Classic Championship at Los Angeles. The Bruins won their seventh straight, 76-75, on Sidney Wicks' 12-foot jump shot in the final three seconds.

All - American candidate John Roche scored 31 points and paced No. 3 South Carolina to an 85-62 romp over New Mixico in the semifinals Sugar Bowl Classic at New Orleans. The Gamecocks meet No. 13 Notre Dame for the championship tonight. Notre Dame advanced by beating West Virginia 84-80.

In Greensboro, N. C., No. 4 North Carolina called on sophomores Bill Chamberlain and Steve Previs for the 92-74 winning drive against Harvard in the semifinals of the Carolina Classic. Ninth - ranked Washington, 8-0 shot .656 from the field in the first half, built a 46-27 halftime lead and went on to beat Oregon State 85-65 in the semifinals of the Far West Classic at Portland. The Huskies meet Oregon State, the defending champions, in the title game tonight.

Seventh - ranked New Mexico State and 10th ranked Jacksonville were idle.

In the Second 10, Davidson, No. 11, beat Holy Cross 90-75 in the semifinals of the Charlotte Invitational Tournament in North Carolina; and No. 12 St. Bonaventure overpowered St. Joseph's of Pennsylvania 96-91 in the semifinals of the Eastern College Athletic Conference Holiday Festival Tournament in New York.

Mizzou Blows Lead; Loses 75-73 To Buff's

KANSAS CITY AP — There are grumblings hereabouts because tonight's finale in the 24th Big Eight Basketball Tournament has no Kansas team in it. John MacLeod tunes them out.

"I don't think there's any doubt about it," the young Oklahoma coach said Monday night, "this has to be a tremendous shot in the arm for our program.

"We've been struggling like heck. We needed a boost, and this might be it. The way it has lifted the morale of our kids is fantastic."

MacLeod sends his surprising Sooners into the tournament championship game tonight against Colorado, the defending conference champion.

The poised Buffaloes rallied from an 18- point deficit to clip Missouri, 75-73, in Monday's semifinals.

Oklahoma, refusing to let early deficits or its own mistakes rattle it, bounced from nine points behind to defeat Kansas State, 72-67.

"I think this team knows it can come back now," said MacLeod. Oklahoma boasts the best Big Eight record, 9-1. "We didn't play too well tonight, but we still came back," said a happy MacLeod.

The Sooners trailed 33-24 with five minutes left in the first half, then followed the lead of senior Garfield Heard in a rally which pulled them ahead 45-44. K- State led again at 53-52, but the Sooners went ahead to stay on Charlie Hardin's bascet and Scott Martin's two free throws with 42 seconds left clinched it.

Heard got 24 points for Oklahoma and Bob Zender 27 for K-State.

The Sooners, who trimmed Kansas 68-64 in overtime in the first round, knocked both Kansas teams out of the championship game. That hasn't happened since 1949, when Missouri beat the Sooners 44-42 in the title match.

The Buffaloes fell behind 37-19 with 6:25 to go in the first half as the Tigers drilled their first 13 shots without missing and 16 of their first 17 attempts.

Colorado didn't panic. Cliff Meely, the game's top scorer with 26 points, led the Buffs back until they trailed only 73-71 with 1:13 remaining. Gordon Tope then tied the game with a field goal and Meely won it on two free throws with 58 seconds to play. A charging foul against Don Tomlinson ruined Missouri's last chance for a tying shot.

Oklahoma, which gained the finals for the first time since 1953, and Colorado, now 7-3, play for the title at 9 p.m. after Kansas plays Nebraska for fifth place in the consolation finals at 7 p.m.

This afternoon, Iowa State plays Oklahoma State for seventh place and Kansas State meets Missouri for third.

Kansas beat Oklahoma State 72-56 for the most lop- sided decision in the tournament behind Dave Robisch's 29 points, while Nebraska turned back Iowa State 74-66 as Chuck Jura counted 21 in Monday's consolation semifinals.

Woodland, Central Upset

CAPE GIRARDEAU — All pre- tournament predictions were nullified last night in the quarterfinal rounds of the College high invitatioal Christmas tournament. First seeded Delta was eliminated in the opening rounds of the Holiday Classic by Illmo- Scott City which provied to be the upset of the tournament. The remaining second, third, and fourth rated teams in tourney were handed their ticket here last night as tempers flared various times throughout the evening. It just didn't seem to be a night for the predicted to come out on top. Coach Dale Harrison's Portageville Bulldogs made believers out of a few people that had seen the jousting contest that they had had with Oak Ridge Saturday night as they bounced back and put the hold to the Second seeded Cape Central quintet, 47-44. Notre Dame asked fourth - rated Chaffee to bow out with their 74-64 victory over the Reddevils. In the second game of the evening once beaten and third ranked Woodland fell to a five point handicap 57-52, and made way for the Clearwater Tigers to advance into Semi- final action tonight. ISC stuck with the Cape County Central team throughout their encounter but couldn't make up a 10 point deficit that was handed them with five minutes to go. Central came out on top, 63-57.

Holding a one point lead at the half, Chaffee slacked off in the late quarters and let Notre Dame gradually overtake them hitting on a 30 of 56 shots attempted from the field in he lst half. Chaffee applied a full- court press midway through the third quarter, in hopes of slowing down the running Dogs but to no avail. Paul Spaeth and Gary Van Weeldon were the big guns for the Bulldogs as they netted 19 points apiece. Little 5 foot 7 inch, Steve Duniphan dropped in 23 points to lead the underdogs in scoring.

Clearwater knocked off Woodland with the assistance of Jim Burch and Jim Evans who played superb games for the Tigers offensively and defensively. Burch cleaned the boards for the Bengals as he brought down 20 through the tenure of the game. Woodland only managed to snag 23 rebounds all together. All five starters for the victor reached double figures before the game was called to a close while two of Woodlands reached the mark. The Cardinals made a fighting stand of it late in the first half and came from behind to take a 28-26 lead just seconds after the final half began. The lead then volleyed back and forth as time began to run thin and Clearwater took advantage of a few breaks and won themselves a berth in the semi- finals. In the third game, Illmo ran into a little bad weather that they had not been expecting out of Scott Central. The Braves jumped out to an early lead in the first quarter and ISC had to play catch up ball the whole game. A few unruly breaks was the straw that broke the camels back though as Illmo had steadily worked their way back into the game by the end of the third quarter before the floor began to fall out and the leading defensive player of the game getting kicked out were just a few of the minor details that were faulty.

In the nightcap, Portageville wasted little time in showing the spirited Tiger Den from Cape Central that they meant business. The Dogs jumped out to an early lead, 14-9 in the first quarter behind the fine defensive wall that they threw up to ward off the Tigers. Cape tried to pressure them with a late press defense just before the half but it proved to be a little late as Portageville netted 46% of their shots the first half compared to Cape's 25%. With 3:44 remaining in the game, Central came back strong and took a minutes lead 28-26 before relinquishing it.

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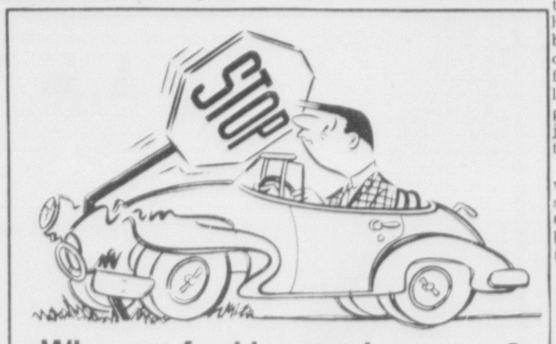

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BBC Films Boost Primary School Sex Education

LONDON (AP) — When you are eight or nine you begin to question the mystery of life.

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Then, one day in school, a voice says: "All the people in the world were made in the way we've told you today, by a man and a woman together. All the people in the world grew first inside their mothers' wombs and then were born.

"And that's where babies come from."

A thousand school children of eight and nine heard and saw this story in previews of new sex education programs produced by the British Broadcasting Corp. and scheduled for general broadcasting later.

The stork has been shot down. Is this good?

Dr. Louise Eickhoff, child psychiatrist at Selly Oak Hospital in Birmingham, says: "I have cases to show that children who have been taught by parents without harm broke down as a result of seeing the film 'Birth of a Baby' and television programs."

Dr. Robert Kind, who teaches sex in Leicestershire schools, says: "I personally know of no case where a child has been sent off the rails by sex instruction. Ignorance causes anxiety as well as a good many illegitimate teen-age births. It is the root of many adult sex problems."

Much of the opposition to the programs centers on the credo that sex instruction is a parental responsibility. Proponents argue that parents have failed their job, leading to maladjusted generations.

BBC is putting Great Britain alongside Sweden in primary school sex education and ahead of the United States, where television sex instruction in some areas has called forth protest and threats of picketing and court injunctions.

Msgr. Francis Thompson, Roman Catholic bishop of Motherwell, banned the films in his diocese. Msgr. John A. Murphy, archbishop of Cardiff, Wales, said: "That there are some immature or careless parents we all agree but have all the good parents to suffer trespass because of them?"

The government assured Parliament that parental permission will be sought so that no child will be forced to see the programs.

A BBC spokesman said 95 per cent of the parents who saw the previews approved. A spokesman for the School Broadcasting Council, a BBC affiliate, said "initial reaction from parents, teachers and nearly 1,000 children at previews produced only a small number of objections."

The children themselves talked freely, parent and teacher reports gathered by the council showed.

"Teacher," asked one towheaded youngster after some thought, "how was the first baby born?"

A little girl asked her father over breakfast: "Daddy, you don't have babies until you're married, do you?" Her father agreed. She pondered. "Daddy," she asked, "tell me, how does your stomach know you're married?"

The earlier arrival of puberty, affecting girls particularly, was a key factor in the decision of the School Broadcasting Council to recommend that BBC do its series.

The films take two forms—radiovision and television.

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By POLLY CRAMER

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY—I would like to know how to make rugs out of used wool clothing by the sewing method and hope some reader can help me with this information.—LIZABETH

DEAR POLLY—My Pointer is for Alfred, who wanted to know how to paint the inside of a bottle. To paint the outside decoratively with poster paint, start with a clean, dry bottle and then paint on a mixture of ⅔ white paint and ⅓ white glue for a base coat. Try not to overlap the strokes. When dry, you have a good base for anything you want to do. To apply this base coat to the inside of a bottle, all you have to do is pour some into the bottle and swish around. Pour out the excess after all is well-covered. Let it dry turned upside down.—MONICA

DEAR READERS—I added this all-purpose white glue to regular enamel paint and found it adhered well to the glass and more evenly than the paint alone. When painting the inside, according to Monica's method, the first coat would have to be the color you want the bottle to show, as it would adhere to the glass first.—POLLY

DEAR POLLY—A split clothespin put inside both your washing and drying cloth is ideal for cleaning corners when washing windows. It does not scratch or mar the painted frames.

Try putting a piece of masking tape over your car-door lock during an ice or rain blizzard in the wintertime and you will have less trouble unlocking the door. Do not press it down on the paint, just on the lock.—MRS. V. H.

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Hearnes Will Speak At Dexter

DEXTER - Gov. Warren E. Hearnes will be guest speaker at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet meeting Jan. 30, at the Catholic Church Hall at 7 p.m.

The 1970 officers of the C of C will be introduced at this meeting and various awards will be presented, including the coveted "Man of the Year" award.

Thurston Hill, Superintendent of Schools, will be to act as toastmaster.

Assuming the presidency of the organization will be Jack Estes, owner of Saveway LP Gas, Inc. Estes is currently serving as first vice president, Jim Smith, local manager for the Security Federal Savings and Loan Association, is retiring president.

Tickets for the banquet can be obtained after Jan. 1 from Chamber members or at the C of C office, according to Mrs. Mary Ellen Blankenship, office manager.

BIRD BALL

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Birds of a feather flocked together when Dolores Finch, 23, and Dennis Sparrow, 24, held a family party to celebrate their engagement. They were carrying on a family tradition, for Dennis' mother was one of four sisters, two of whom married two brothers named Sparrow. The other two married brothers called Partridge. One of the Partridge daughters married a Mr. Hen. To top it all, Mr. and Mrs. Sparrow (senior) live in a house called The Nest.

Pair Uses Teaspoon, Putty Knife to Scrape Through Jail Wall

MACON, Mo. (AP) - Two men using a teaspoon and a putty knife scraped their way to freedom through a double brick wall in the Macon jail early Monday.

The two were identified as Roy E. Via, 21, and Paul Douglas, 24, both of Clarence, Mo.

Via had been held for U. S. Navy authorities after being picked up as a deserter according to a report from the office of Sheriff Claude Nuhn.

Douglas was in jail for parole violation after conviction on an assault charge.

Five other prisoners in the jail could have left by the same escape route but chose to remain.

The name Clarissa is derived from the Latin and means fair.

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Rogers Gets 75 To 100 Years on Slaying Charge

MARION, Ill. (AP) — Keneth Rogers was sentenced to 75 to 100 years in prison Monday after pleading guilty to the strangulation murders of his wife and her woman companion.

The bodies of his wife, Wilma, 22, and Miss Barbara Case, 25, were found in their trailer home Christmas Day near Carterville. Rogers, 23, assistant manager of a Carbondale bookstore, was arrested in Covington, Tenn., Friday and returned to Illinois the same day.

Before passing sentence, Circuit Judge John Clayton informed Rogers of his legal rights and asked if he wanted more time.

Rogers replied he was ready to enter a plea. The defendant was represented by Public Defender George Morgan.

After the sentencing, Rogers was removed to the Jackson County jail in Carbondale where he faces arraignment on a charge of murdering 14-year-old Lisa Levering. The girl's body was found Dec. 1 near Carbondale.

Hurn Sworn in As U.S. Attorney

KANSAS CITY (AP) - Bert Hurn, 45, a Neosho, Mo., lawyer, will be sworn in Jan. 5 by Judge William H. Becker as U. S. attorney for Western Missouri. Becker is chief judge of U. S. District Court in Kansas City.

Hurn, a Republican, was formerly prosecuting attorney in Newton County and will succeed Calvin K. Hamilton, an appointee of President Johnson. Hurn, was appointed by President Nixon and his appointment was confirmed in Congress Nov. 26.

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Let's Not Have 'Religion' Known as Fund-Raising

By DAVID POLING

Every organization I know has its fund-raising problem. As soon as the PTA gets down to business, it wants to collect dues. When my son starts playing Little League baseball, the people in charge let me know that I am now a member of the Booster Club and that is $2 by return mail.

Even the peace groups won't let me protest the war without writing a check for some treasurer who is acting rather hawkish at my slow pay.

No group is exempt or free from this chore. The senior class at high school will shortly shame me into purchase of a dozen tickets for their play—my boy is a senior. (He justs tells me it will be two dozen—he's also in the play.)

And we have not mentioned the church, where fund-raising has become sacred, computerized and the most time-consuming, energy-draining activity around. In his new book, "Funny, You Don't Look Christian" (Weybright and Talley, $3.95), Robert Herhold hits the nerve like an untrained dentist probing for a cavity. He has an essay called, "The Religion of Fund Raising," which describes the ordeal of the saints:

"One fund-raising firm instructs callers to pray three prayers. (Printed prayers are furnished if needed.) A prayer is said before getting out of the car, another just before the member fills out his pledge card, and a final clincher before the caller leaves. The member doesn't have to worry only about appearing cheap before a fellow member; he also has the Almighty frowning over his shoulder."

In an even more critical tone, J. Elliott Corbett creates a paraphrase of Jeremiah in his book, "Prophets on Main Street" (John Knox Press, $4.95):

"Thus says the Lord:

O, you Christians, strength of my arm, voice of my mouth, compassion of my heart,
Step off your merry-go-round!
Break through your monotonous cycle!
You who raise money to erect buildings,
so you can expand your program,
and when you expand your program,
you need more money to erect more buildings.
"O, when will you start being the church:
Stop making the church a place to go,
and make it something to be."

Money and budgets and fund-raising will always be a part of the religious community. These little chores run straight through the Bible but this dare not become an end in itself. If it does, we will indeed have a religion of Fund-Raising and its chief opponent will be the follower of Christ.

Original Meaning

The original meaning of the word "gentile" was "peoples" or "nations." Gentile was used to designate the nations of mankind outside Israel. Hence, originally, a gentile was a non-Jew.

Prison Officials Identify Pair

CAMDENTON, Mo. (AP) - Missouri prison officials have identified two men arrested Friday and held in Camden county jail on car theft charges as two inmates who escaped Thursday night from the Missouri State Prison Farm.

The two men being held in Camdenton for LaClede county authorities were first booked under the names of Donald Lee Smith, 26, of Columbia, Mo., and James Allen Lee, 23, of Independence, Mo.

The state prison officials identified them as Robert Bennett, 21, formerly of indepdence, and Webb Jones, 26, Warrensburg. Bennett was serving a five year prison term on a Jackson County conviction of stealing. Jones was serving five years for a forgery conviction in Johnson County.

The two men were arrested in Osage Beach, Mo., Friday by police officer Harry Scott and Highway Patrol trooper Harry Lea after a police chase. The two were driving a car stolen in Lebanon, Mo., and were involved in a minor hit - and - run accident in Camdenton early Friday. Camdenton police gave chase and radioed ahead to police in Osage Beach where the arrest was made.

ARMED FORCES

Chief Petty Officer Roussell, naval recruiter in Cape Girardeau reports Norman Darter Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Darter enlisted in the naval reserve as a fireman recruit. He will attend drills with the reserve unit in Cape Girardeau for one year prior to being ordered on active duty for two years with the fleet. Darters commanding officer of the reserve unit is C. L. Blanton III, LCDR also of Sikeston Fireman Darter lives with his parents on route three. He graduated from Matthews high school in June.

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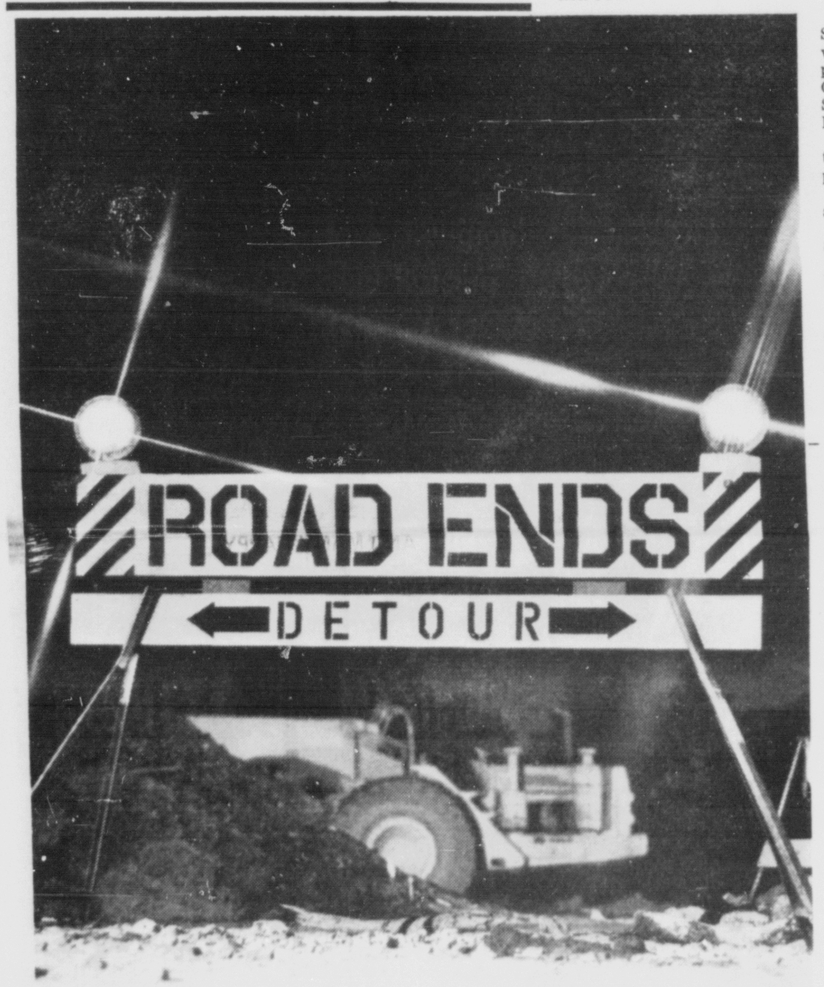

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Gifts will include items for the new baby as well as for the parents.

The following rules will apply to the contest:

-Parents must be residents of Stoddard County.

-The baby does not need to be born in the County.

-The Doctor should notify the Statesman - Messenger, giving exact time of birth, baby and parents name, parent's address, vital statistics of the baby and any other information needed.

The winner will be announced as soon as the information is verified.

Participating merchants include: Bank of Bloomfield, Gainer's Jewelry, Rigsby's Family Center, Ringer Hardware, Dexter Statesman - Messenger, Sears, Weber's Ben Franklin, Stovall's, Tucker's Home Furnishings, Dexter IGA Foodliner, Sayre's Jewelry, P. N. Hirsch, Vowel's Tire and Appliance, Hamras, City Motor Sales, The Kathy -Kay Shopee, Ladies' Toggery, Hubbard's Jewelry, Boone's Supermarket, Dale's Appliance.

Dairy Queen Purchased by Berkbiglers

The Dairy Queen at 2021 East Malone, has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Ladelle Berkbigler from Mr. and Mrs. Merl Mabie.

The former owners own a Dairy Queen in Caruthersville and will take over the operation there.

The Sikeston business will operate under the name of L and M Dairy Queen.

Berkbigler has been building superintendent of the Sikeston Regional Diagnostic Clinic since its opening two years ago. He was a former insurance executive and will continue at his present occupation. His wife, Maxine, has worked for Harper's Travel Service four years and will continue.

Iris England will be in charge of Dairy Queen, with Mr. and Mrs. Berkbigler assisting on evenings and the weekend.

The Berkbiglers live at 312 Marian St.

Rusk Appointed to Georgia U. Faculty

ATLANTA, Ga. (AP) - The appointment of former secretary of state Dean Rusk to the University of Georgia faculty was approved Monday despite the opposition of Gov. Lester Maddox and some members of the State Board of Regents.

The vote, announced after a two-hour closed meeting of the regents, was 9-4.

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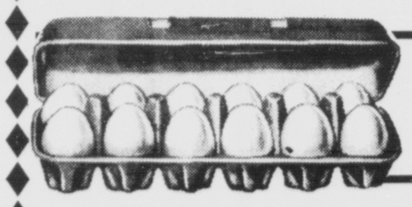

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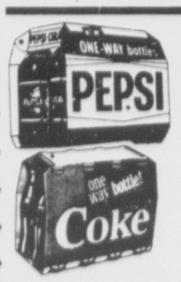

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3. Exact time of baby's birth must be certified by attending physician.
4. Applications must be received in this office by January 10th
5. In the event of a tie, awards will be made at the committee's descretion.

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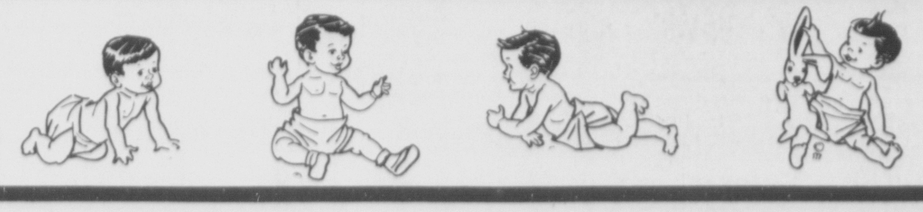

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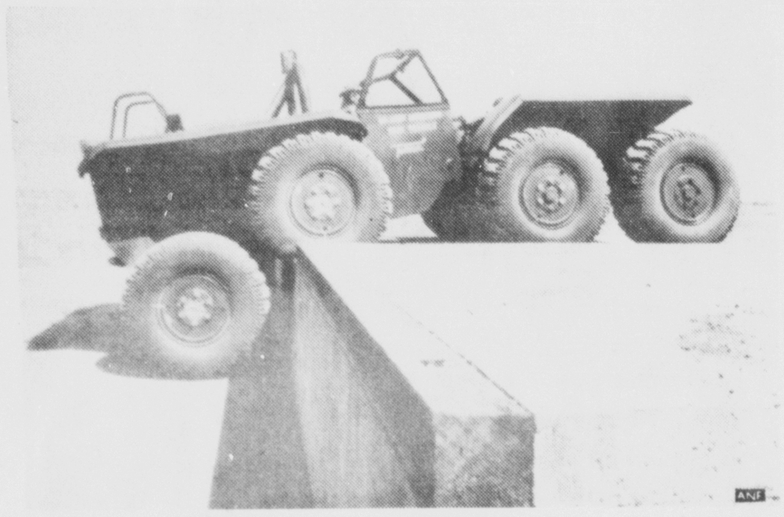
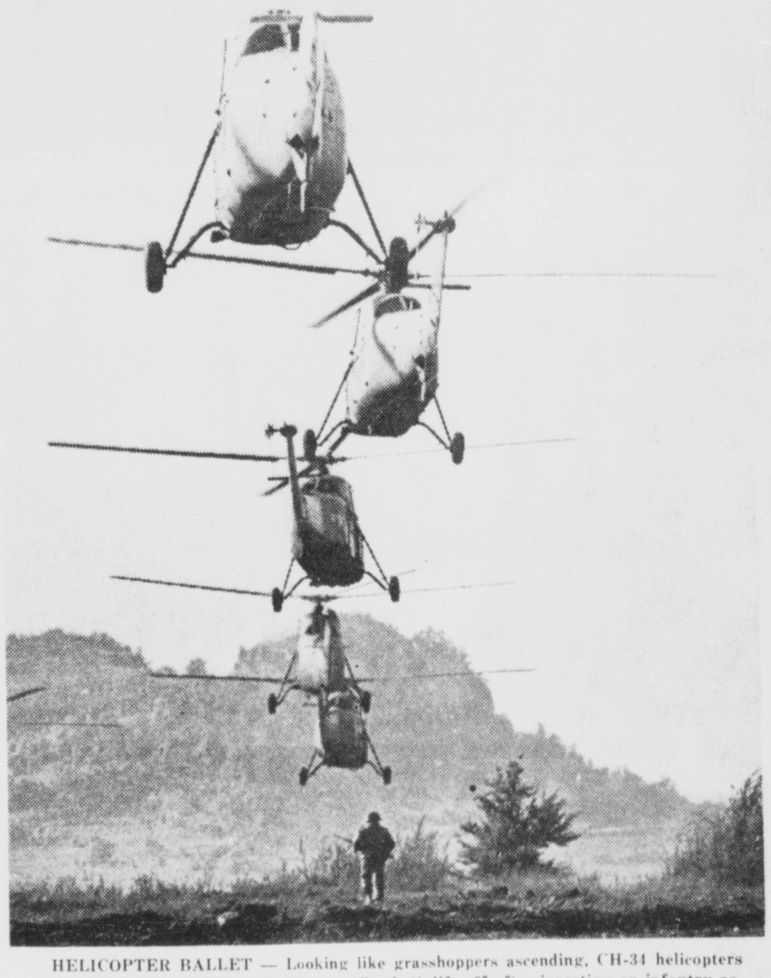


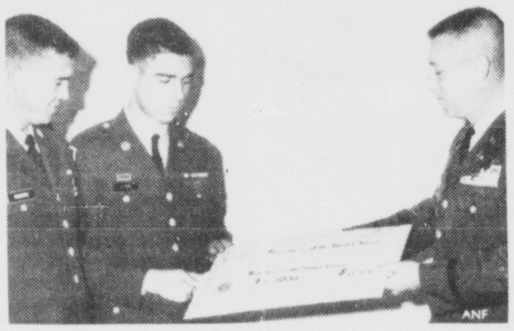
UP AND OVER—The Army's Twister vehicle climbs a three-foot wall on the test course during shakedown trials at Lockheed Missiles & Space Co. Developed by Lockheed under a three vehicle contract with the Army Tank-Automotive Command, the Army vehicle has two bodies joined by a pivotal yoke. An engine in each section gives the Twister eight-wheel drive. The Army plans to use the Twister to evaluate the concept for application to next-generation, high-performance, off-road combat vehicles.

A HALL OF FLAGS — Flags of the 50 states line the corridor of the "Hall of States" at the U.S. Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pa. The flags were presented to the college on behalf of the Adjutants General Association during a recent dedication ceremony at the college.



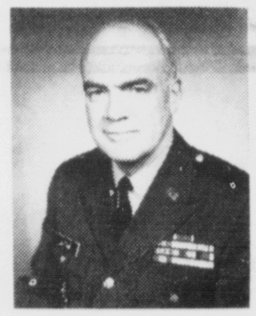
HELICOPTER BALLET — Looking like grasshoppers ascending, CH-34 helicopters of the VII Corps, 15th Aviation Group (Combat) lift off after inserting an infantry assault force into a landing zone during an airmobile demonstration at Hohenfels, Germany. *(U.S. Army Photo by Sgt. Bill Donahoe)*

SHAPE-LY ESCORTS AT SHAPE — Cheerleaders from the Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe (SHAPE) International High School escort General Andrew J. Goodpaster, supreme allied commander, Europe. The general attended pre-game ceremonies at the SHAPE Spartans' first home game. The Spartans defeated their NATO rivals from Allied Forces Central Europe 32-12. Spartan cheerleaders are (from left) Ann Dunwoody, Dana Caldwell and Jackie Dunwoody.
(U.S. Army Photo by Sfc. D. Kuhn)



ALASKAN BONANZA — S/Sgt. Richard Simmons (left), Decherd, Tenn., and Sp4 Dave Floyd, East Puyallup, Wash., accept oversize checks as they receive a combined reenlistment bonus of $18,000 from their commanding officer, Lt. Col. Clarence A. Davis, Jr. Both men are assigned to the 19th Aviation Battalion, Ft. Richardson, Alaska.

General Sidle Becomes Army's New Chief of Information



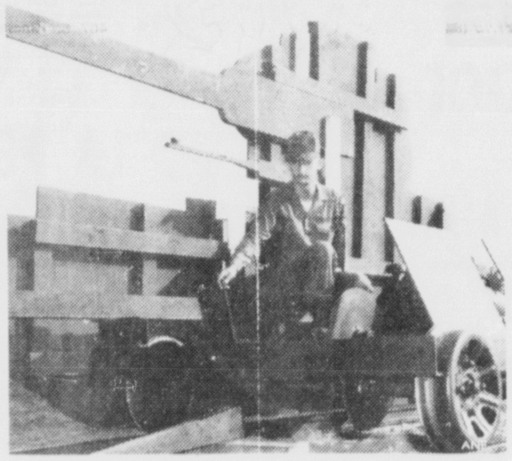
WASHINGTON (ANF) — Brig. Gen. Winant Sidle became the new Chief of Information for the Department of the Army on Oct. 27th.

The former Chief of Information, Maj. Gen. Wendell J. Coats is now the commanding general of the 2d Armored Division, Ft. Hood, Texas.

General Sidle's previous assignment was in the Republic of Vietnam where he served 19 months as Chief of Information for the U.S. Military Assistance Command, Vietnam and six months as commanding general of the I Field Force Artillery. Before going to Vietnam in August 1967, General Sidle served as director of defense information in the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs.

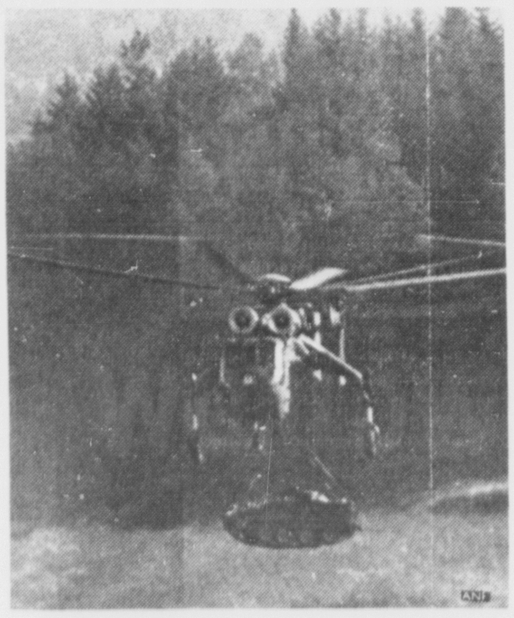
A resident of Philadelphia, Pa., General Sidle was graduated from Hamilton College, Clinton, N.Y. He holds a Master's degree from the University of Wisconsin. During World War II he saw extensive combat service as an artillery commander in North Africa and Europe. He was an artillery battalion commander in the 3d Infantry Division during combat in Korea.

General Sidle is a graduate of the Artillery School, the Command and General Staff College and the Army War College.



TARGET TANK — Sp4 Jerry G. Suttle, Forest City, N.C., reverses the direction of Ft. Polk's "tank" training aid. The device is used to train soldiers in firing the Army's M-72 light antitank weapon. The wooden cutout of an aggressor tank is mounted on an unmanned motorized dolly and looks much like the real thing from the firing line.
(U.S. Army Photo by Pfc Dale Brommerich)

HIS MASTER'S VOICE is apparently going to the dogs. Nevertheless, 1st Infantry Division trooper Pfc William Vabolis, Washington, D.C., seems to be enjoying his "concert" during a lull in the action in the Republic of Vietnam. Private Vabolis will entertain anyone who will listen, according to reports from the field. However, sometimes only his dog, "Shorty," seems to care.
(U.S. Army Photo by Sp4 Peter Mutmansky)



HEAVY STUFF — A CH-54 FLYING CRANE from the 295th Aviation Company, 15th Aviation Group (Combat), U.S. Army Europe airlifts an armored personnel carrier used during an airmobile demonstration at Hohenfels, Germany. The demonstration, dubbed Operation HOHENBAUM (High Tree),was designed to test the feasibility of using airmobile tactics in Europe. The Sikorsky-built craft can lift an external load of up to 10 tons.

SPEEDY EVACUATION — Combat medics rush an injured 1st Infantry Division trooper to a DUSTOFF chopper. The DUSTOFF helicopter can get the man to a medical facility in less than 35 minutes—from anywhere in Vietnam. That facility can then give the soldier any type of life-saving treatment he requires.
(U.S. Army Photo by S/Sgt. L.E. Perkins)

Maj Gen Robert E. Coffin
Commanding General,
U.S. Army Southern European
Task Force

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SEASONAL SQUALLS

Maps show Weather Bureau's forecast of average temperature, precipitation for period thru Jan. 15.

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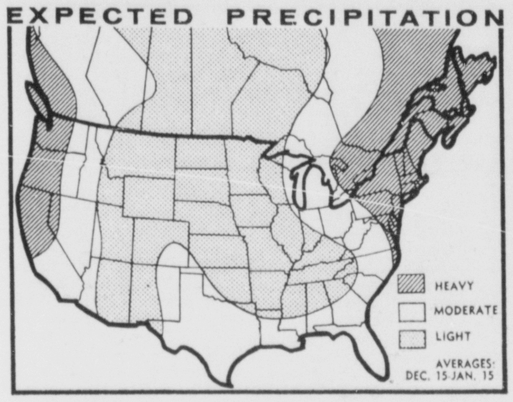
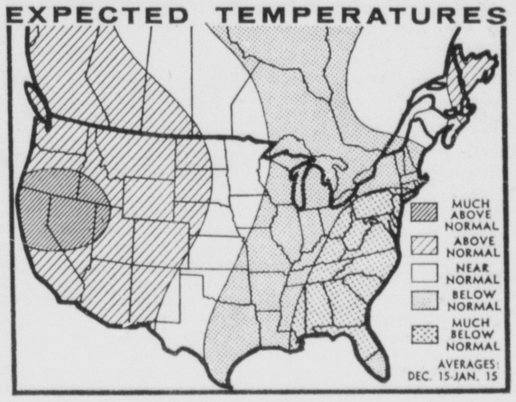


Precipitation is expected to exceed normal in Northeast as well as over central and north Pacific Coast. Subnormal amounts are indicated elsewhere.

EXPECTED TEMPERATURES



Above-normal temperatures are forecast over western half of U.S. and below-normal over eastern half with greatest departures in Atlantic states.

DEMOCRACY HAS SAVED FEUDALISM on the Isle of Sark, one of the English Channel Islands. The island's owner, Mrs. Sibyl Hathaway, inset, has given in to the majority wishes of her 556 subjects. They want her to keep on running things, instead of turning over the tax-free paradise to the administration of neighboring Guernsey. The Dame of Sark, now 85, describes her domain as "the last bastion of feudalism in the Western World." She owns the entire island, appointing all office holders. Autos are banned on Sark, where numerous lovely bays and mysterious caves helped attract 40,000 visitors last year.

WAIST-HIGH WHEAT makes a pretty picture, especially to farmers in Kansas where the 1969 crop promises to be the second largest on record. The Kansas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service has predicted a 298-million-bushel yield, a harvest exceeded only by 1952's 308 million bushels. The young miss running through the field is Susan Van Laningham of Pittsburg, Kan. Photo by Hugh S. Tessendorf.

WATER JOCKEY — Test personnel inspect propulsion units that are attached to Mexefloat pontoon equipment. The tests, run by the U.S. Army Test and Evaluation Command's General Equipment Test Activity in the Fort Story-Fort Eustis, Va. area, will determine whether the new equipment meets Army requirements for powering pontoons to be used as lighterage, causeways and floating piers. The system can be transported by conventional cargo vessels and assembled overseas by stevedores and barge operators without special tools.

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PIANOS AND Organs, Baldwin and Wurlitzer. Finest quality at reasonable prices and terms. Rental plan available. Keith Collins Piano Company, 98 North Kingshighway. Phone GR 1-4531.
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Sofa and chair, 3 tables, t.v., gas range, 1955 chevrolet truck, Call 471-3783 after 6 P.M.

For Sale: one antique round dining table in excellent condition, 4x6 book case almost new and one console piano, nine months old. All reasonably priced, call 683-4754 or write box 364 Charleston, Mo.

FAFNIR BALL Bearings, Roller Chain and Sprockets, V Belts and Sheaves for sale. For Farm and Industry. Webb Electric Supply Company, 925 South Main Street Sikeston, Missouri. 12-9-3-tf

2 used floor furnaces with controls, good condition, $25.00 each 471-1416 after 5 P.M.

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House Full of repossessed furniture for sale. Call Mr. Wilson or Mr. Cooper 471-2077. Delta Finance Company.

Sidewiner Rotary Tiller - RC- 160 with crop shields. Good Shape, Phone 379-5033 After 5:30 P.M.

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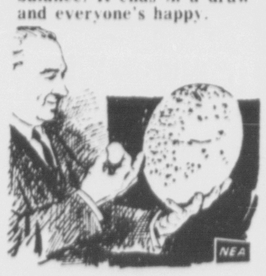
EVENLY MATCHED are these young wrestlers: Joseph Oliva, 9 months, of West Babylon, N.Y., and "Bonnie," his Dalmatian pal, 7 weeks. "Little Joe" starts with a firm hold and moves in for a bite. "Bonnie" counters with a body press that throws Joe off-balance. It ends in a draw and everyone's happy.



The elephant bird, or Aepyornis maximus, extinct for centuries, stood nine to 10 feet tall and weighed half a ton, says The World Almanac. Not surprisingly, the bird couldn't fly. When fresh, an aepyornis egg weighed about 20 pounds, equal to 250 hen eggs. This bird is known to have lived in Madagascar (Malagasy Republic) from about a million years ago and survived there until about A.D. 900.

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6	00 Sunrise Semester-Color 30 Gospel Train-Color 45 Ch. 12 Breakfast Show-	30 TV Party Line	
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8	00 Captain Kangaroo		
9	00 The Lucy Show-CBS 30 The Beverly Hillbillies	00 Bomber Room - c Randy Dickerson Concentration	00 Jack LaLanne 30 Morning Movie
10	00 The Andy Griffith 30 Love of Life-Color	00 Sale of the Century 30 Hollywood Squares -	
11	00 Where the Heart Is 25 Midday News-Color C 30 Search for Tomorrow	00 Jeopardy - c 30 Name Droppers 55 Floyd Kalber	00 Bewitched 30 That Girl
12	00 The Farm Picture 05 The Noonday News 20 Watching the Weather 30 As the World Turns-	00 News, Farm Markets - 15 Pastor Speaks - c 30 You're Putting Me On	00 Dream House (C) 30 Lets Make A Deal
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2	00 The Secret Storm- 30 The Edge of Night	00 Another World 30 Bright Promise	00 General Hospital 30 One Life To Live
3	00 Gomer Pyle USMC- 30 Magic Castle Cartoon	00 30 55	00 Dark Shadows (C) 30 Hi-Modern Almanac T-H-E Problems & Challenges F-Lawman
4	00 The Mike Douglas Show-	00 Popeye - c 30 Perry Mason 30 Big 6 Dance Party - Fri. to 5:30	00 The Hour

Prospect for Cotton Exports Not Cheery

WASHINGTON (AP) — Prospects are not bright for expanding U.S. cotton exports during the 1970s because of a continuing trend toward more manmade fibers and rising competition from other cotton-producing countries, says an Agriculture Department analyst.

During the past decade, says Dewey L. Pritchard of the Foreign Agricultural Service, world use of cotton increased by only seven million bales annually to around 52.8 million in 1968-69.

At the same time, Pritchard said today in a report, manmade fiber expanded by an equivalent of nearly 34 million cotton bales from 7.5 million a decade ago to about 51.2 million last year.

Cotton's share of the world market dropped from more than 70 per cent to 51 per cent during the 10-year period.

This has resulted in a sharp slowdown in world cotton trading. Total imports in 1958-59 were 14 million bales, and last season were only around 16.5 million, Pritchard said.

Increased production in other countries and the slower rate of utilization has cut deeply into U.S. exports.

In the last 10 years, U.S. cotton exports have ranged from a peak of 7.2 million bales in 1959-60 to 2.7 million in the 1968-69 season, Pritchard said, and "prospects for the current season show little improvement" from a year ago.

Much of the world cotton export requirement has been filled by other countries. Ten years ago the U.S. share of the trade was 42 per cent. Last year it was 17 per cent.

"Two things have to be done," Pritchard said. "The steady erosion of cotton's share of the total fiber market must be arrested by better cotton product development and promotion, and U.S. cotton must maintain against foreign competition the primary position that it has held in world cotton trade."

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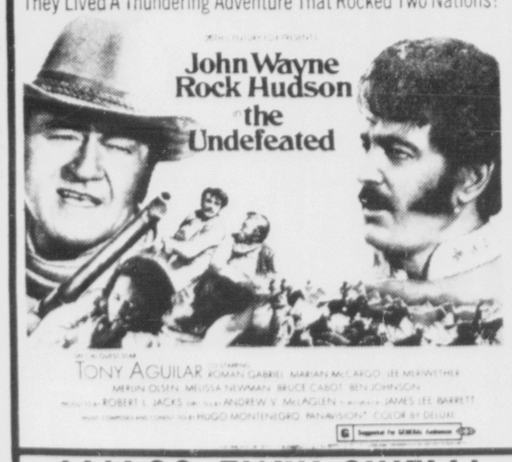

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Looking Back

G.W. Arterburn Celebrates 61st Birthday

50 Years Ago
December 30 1919

G.W. Arterburn celebrated his 61st birthday at his home on Ruth street, Saturday, December 27.

Miss Ruth McCoy went to Portageville Sunday afternoon for a visit with Miss Mary Mary Delisle.

40 Years Ago
December 30, 1929

New Madrid -- The New Madrid public high school together with the grade school, a two - story brick, containing 12 rooms and additorium was totally destroyed by fire of undetermined origin Monday about midnight. The Board of Directors estimated the total loss at $50,000, of which $5,000 was in books. At a meeting of the board it was decided that the school would be rebuilt and until same could be done, classes would be held in the two churches, city hall, masonic hall and court house.

Virgil Gosnell, 16 - year - old rabbit hunter of Big Ridge, south of here was brought to the Emergency Hospital Sunday afternoon, suffering from accidently inflicted gunshot wounds.

Charleston - Branch Rickey of the Cardinal baseball team and Branch, jr., of St. Louis and Dr. Harmon, president of McKendree College at Lebanon, Ill., are enjoying a hunt here this week, as the guests of Bob Burroughs, and Oliver and Andrew French.

Benton -- Fire, believed to have originated from defective wiring, totally destroyed the eight - room house of Dr. U.P. Haw and practically all its household contents Thursday night.

30 Years Ago
December 30, 1939

Rex Theatre, today, "Billy the Kid Returns" with Roy Rogers. Malone Theatre, today "Henry Goes to Arizona" with Frank Morgan.

Mrs. Pleas Hyatt, 37, of Kennett, former Sikeston resident, passed away in St. Mary's Infirmary at Cairo, Ill., Sunday morning of bronchial pneumonia and blood poisoning. Mrs. Hyatt had been ill for three weeks and was taken to the hospital on Wednesday of last week, but failed to rally to the treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. P.A. McDougal and son, Dick, were guests of relatives in Clarkton, Dexter and Poplar Bluff Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. J.N. Hitchcock and family spent Christmas in Pocahontas, Ark., and assisted in the observance of the 60th wedding anniversary of her parents.

20 Years Ago
December 30, 1949

Sikeston's first baby to be born in the new year is the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John Gorman, who reside at the Dixelonian Trailor Court on Highway 61 north. The child was born at the local hospital at 2:36 a.m. on January 1.

In a double ring ceremony at the Methodist Church in Charleston on December 31, Miss Rebecca Jane Bronw, daughter of Mrs. E.Riley Brown and the late Mr. Brown, became the bride of Robert Joseph Foley, son of Mrs. J.W. Foley nad the late Mr. Foley.

In a Christmas Eve ceremony at the Fourth Presbyterian Church in Louisville, Ky., Miss Barbara Nell Smith of Louisville became the bride of Audra Byron Smith of Sikeston. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Robert Smith.

John F. Wood, jr., of the Greyhound Lines arrived Thursday night and is working at the local bus station for a week. He is also visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wood.

If You Were the Judge

Customs Officers Can't Strip Suspect

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

When bearded Benny boarded a plane in Canada bound for the United States, a customs officer concluded that Benny's joyful disposition was due to an anticipated flight on marijuana and not on the airplane. Consequently, he telephoned his suspicions to a customs officer where the plane was to land. As a result, when the plane landed, Benny was greeted with open arms. He was ushered into a room nd was ordered to strip. Packets of marijuana were found strapped around his waist. Benny was charged with smuggling and, in court, the packets of marijuana constituted the primary evidence against him.

"It was obtained illegally," insisted Benny. "Making a person strip isn't only indecent, it's unconstitutional."

"It was the only way to check on he hunch of the Canadjan officer," was prosecutor's answer. "We had to strip Benny to get to the naked truth."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you uphold the validity of Benny's being stripped?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that while the power of customs officials to search at borders is broader than the powers of other officials within the interior of the country, the power is not exempt from the requirements of the 4th Amendment even though search warrants are not required, nor must the vigorous standards of probable cause be met. There must be reasonable reason for search. In this case, concluded the judge, there was no reasonable basis for any suspicion that Benny was engaged in smuggling marijuana, the fact that he was dressed like a hippie notwithstanding.

(Based upon a 1969 United States District Court Decision)

The Prayer
from
The Upper Room

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God ... And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us. (John 1:1,14)

PRAYER: O God, with gratitude we acknowledge our need of Christ, the Word made flesh. Guide us in our study of the Bible and strengthen us by Thy spirit for the living of these days. In the name of the Master, who taught us to pray, "Our Father who art in heaven .....Amen."

Weather Rated Factor in Lower Traffic Toll

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Traffic accidents during the long Christmas holiday weekend cost the nation 601 lives.

The National Safety Council, which had estimated 800 to 920 deaths would occur in traffic mishaps, said severe weather over much of the country may have held down the death toll.

The council speculated that poor traveling conditions were responsible for fewer motorists on highways during the four-day holiday period that ended at midnight Sunday.

New Comedy By Simon Rated Hit

NEW YORK (AP) — Broadway's master comedy writer, Neil Simon, has done it again with "Last of the Red Hot Lovers" which premiered Sunday night at the O'Neill theater.

In turning out another certain boxoffice hit, the millionaire dramatist travels a bit further toward his objective of being more than an ace gag-man, of making audiences think as well as laugh.

"Red Hot" concerns a chubby, middle-aged man and three hilariously futile attempts at romantic adventure. Jokes are strung together and looped and intertwined. But among them Simon with affectionate understanding is looking at human frailty, and balancing current moral freedom against traditional middle-class virtues.

In a part that his talents fit with perfection, actor James Coco portrays a bumbling everyman searching for one grand moment, murmuring as he goes, "Life goes out of its way to ignore me."

As his trio of unachieved mistresses, Linda Lavin registers every nuance of femininity intent only on satisfaction; Marcia Rodd comes on as a genially paranoic entertainer who beguiles him into a marijuana detour; and Doris Roberts is the funny-pathetic essence of matronly disenchantment.

Simon's skill at shifting comedy characterization is well matched by Robert Moore's understanding direction. Oliver Smith puts the tale in one of those bright living room sets that might be anywhere but this time happens to be in a Manhattan apartment.

"Red Hot" is the ninth show Simon has provided since he arrived on Broadway in 1960, and is a good start on a second decade.

Ponderosa Pines Dying of Smog

SAN BERNARDINO, Calif. (AP) — Twenty years ago, needles on forest giants in mountains east of Los Angeles began turning yellow. Many trees have since died and hundreds of thousands are dying.

The trees, soaring more than 100 feet tall, some more than 700 years old, were Ponderosa pines, among the largest in the woods.

Foresters at first were baffled. They called the problem X disease and blamed it on some insect. Eventually, however, they tabbed the villain: smog.

The agent that withers the needles is a smog ingredient called ozone.

Prevailing winds carry smog from Los Angeles, 60 miles west, into the 60,000 acres of Ponderosa in the San Bernardino and San Jacinto Mountains, whose peaks jut nearly two miles high.

Viet Trainees In U.S. to Rise Sharply in '70

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — Some 4,200 Vietnamese enlisted men and officers, compared to 465 last year, will be trained at the 16 bases of the U.S. Air Force Air Training Command during fiscal 1970 a spokesman says.

The figure includes 4,000 men who will take technical courses in such fields as electronics, the ATC headquarters spokesman said.

Only about 400 took technical training last year at the 16 bases, which stretch from Georgia to California.

About 200 Vietnamese officers will take pilot training this fiscal year, compared to some 65 during fiscal 1969 which ended June 30, the spokesman said.

The pilots are all officers and undergo the same training as U.S. students at the various bases. Most of the technical courses are for enlisted men.

All first must go to the Lackland Air Force Base Language School here to familiarize themselves with the English language and particularly technical terms relating to their training.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

A CENTENNIAL symbol and theme has been adopted for use by the College of Agriculture at the University of Missouri - Columbia during 1970 - its 100th year. According to Elmer R. Kiehl, dean of the College, the symbol emphasizes the College's concern for Missouri agriculture and also notes its international role.

Missouri College of Agriculture Centennial

COLUMBIA - Missouri agricultural education at the college level will celebrate its 100th birthday Feb. 24. On that date the college of agriculture at the University of Missouri will be a century old.

According to UMC Chancellor John W. Schwada, 1970 has been declared the College of Agriculture Centennial Year. During the year state, area, county, and local programs will be held to call attention to the role of the College in Missouri agriculture.

Elmer R. Kiehl, dean of the College, said the College's role during the coming years will be emphasized in most Centennial activities.

Kiehl said a College of Agriculture Centennial Steering Committee has been at work several months planning Centennial Year activities.

One of the early concerns of the Centennial Steering Committee was the design and selection of a symbol to use in conjunction with Centennial activities. The symbol adopted for use during the Centennial Year notes the College's contributions to and concern for Missouri agriculture.

In the approved symbol, a heavy bold outline of the state emphasizes the College's great concern for agriculture in Missouri.

At the same time, a concern for international agriculture is also expressed in the symbol's shape -- an ellipitical projection of the world.

A head of wheat, the traditional symbol of agriculture through the centuries, is included in the symbol.

The heads of a man and woman, within the boundaries of the map of Missouri, symbolize the College's concern for people.

The College's Centennial Steering Committee also selected a theme for Centennial Year activities. The theme is "Finding A Better Way." The theme describes the College's past successes and its future goals for people everywhere. The theme also indicates that the College's goal is a continuous one.

Members of the Centennial Steering Committee are Dick Lee, agricultural editor, chairman; Ray Schroeder, professor of horticulture; Ralph Rogers, assistant to the dean; John H. Longwell, dean emeritus of the College; Clarence E. Kilingner, professor of agricultural economics; and Elmer Ellis, president emeritus of the University.

In addition, Douglas E. Ross, a College of Agriculture artist, worked closely with the committee in transferring the ideas of the committee into the approved symbol.

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Draft Call up For February

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon announced today a draft call of 19,000 men in February, a sharp increase over January.

A Pentagon spokesman noted that the higher draft call for February follows four months of low quotas.

The February induction quota fits roughly into Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird's prediction that draft calls for 1970 will total about 225,000 men, a decrease of about 65,000 from 1969.

The February quota, which will send 18,200 men into the Army and 800 in the Marines, compares with 12,500 in January.

Monthly draft calls last year ranged from 22,000 a month to more than 33,000 a month until the fall when President Nixon sharply cut them back, reflecting the growing momentum of the U.S. withdrawal from Vietnam.

The Pentagon stretched out the 29,000-man quota for October over the entire October-November-December period.

Under currently approved plans, the United States will have reduced its Vietnam commitment by more than 108,000 men as of mid-APRIL.

At the same time, the Pentagon has ordered a cutback of more than 260,000 in the over-all strength of the U.S. armed forces, reducing the need for draftees.

Meanwhile, the government has put into effect a new random selection system of drafting young men.

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — South African wines should have South African names, parliamentarian and wine connoisseur Senator Paul Sauer believes. Sauer accused local wine farmers of lacking pride in their product when they labelled it "claret type", "burgundy type" or "champagne type". An Alsatian wine farmer "would rather die" than call an Alsace wine a "Moselle type", though he lived within six miles of the Moselle River. "How then can we, who are 6,000 miles further away, make an 'Alsace type' or a 'Burgundy type' wine?" Sauer asked.

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By CLAY R. POLLAN

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2 There'll	32 Today	62 New
3 Put	33 Forward	63 Looks
4 Best	34 Try	64 Duties
5 Letters	35 Attached	65 Rich
6 Beware	36 The	66 Too
7 Silly	37 Animals	67 Ideas
8 Re	38 And	68 Distance
9 Go	39 Ready	69 Or
10 Good	40 Good	70 Count
11 Sent	41 Keep	71 Fast
12 Easy	42 People	72 Promote
13 Luck's	43 To	73 Goodies
14 Of	44 Money	74 Now
15 Worry	45 Is	75 Like
16 Fine	46 On	76 It's
17 Aspects	47 Can	77 Improving
18 Be	48 Need	78 You
19 Foot	49 To	79 Be
20 Watch	50 Expand	80 Fortunate
21 Spark	51 Creative	81 Cleared
22 Don't	52 Aid	82 Message
23 Of	53 Will	83 Agreeable
24 Strange	54 Situation	84 And
25 Off	55 To	85 Outcome
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SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"The boss noticed me today. He called me what's-his-name."

Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Tuesday, Dec. 30, the 364th day of 1969. There is one day left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1853 the United States and Mexico signed the treaty for the Gadsden Purchase—an area of 45,000 square miles in what is now New Mexico and Arizona.

On this date:

In 1865, English author, Rudyard Kipling was born in Bombay, India.

In 1903, more than 500 persons died when flames swept the Iroquois Theater in Chicago.

In 1911, Dr. Sun Yat-sen was elected the first president of China by a revolutionary provisional assembly.

In 1943, U.S. Marines captured the airfield at Cape Gloucester, New Britain, in a Pacific battle with the Japanese.

In 1947, King Michael of Rumania agreed to abdicate, charging that he was being forced off the throne by Communists.

Ten years ago: Democratic Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey of Minnesota became the first declared candidate for president in the 1960 elections.

Five years ago: President Lyndon B. Johnson sent a New Year's message to the Soviet Union suggesting moves both to limit the spread of nuclear weapons and secure a worldwide halt to nuclear testing.

One year ago: Two crewmen of the USS Pueblo described beatings by North Koreans during their 11 months of captivity.

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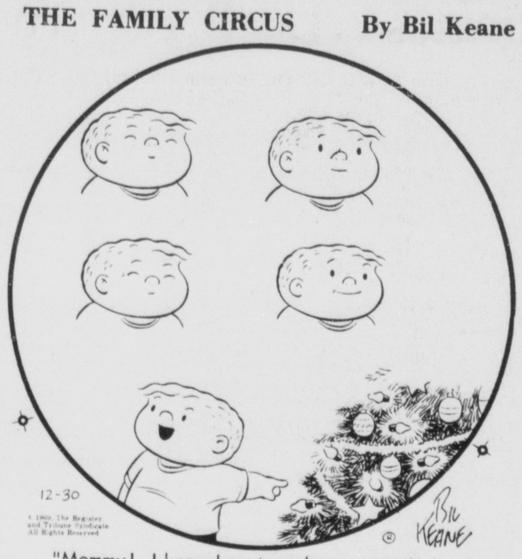

"Mommy! I know how to make our tree lights the blinkin' kind!"

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"A $7.50 a week raise, Miss Shaw, is a lot of money!"

TIZZY by Kate Osann

"Look at it this way: it's like falling off a horse—you have to fall in love again right away or you'll always be afraid of romance!"

Variety

ACROSS

1 Feminine appellation
7 Films
13 Dormant
14 Beast
15 Sketcher
16 Vine fruit
17 English river
18 Faucet
20 Driving command
21 Broadway sign
23 Wand
25 Oriental coin
26 Health resort
28 Moves suddenly
30 Australian ostrich
32 River (Sp.)
33 Legal point
34 Freudian term
35 TV quiz group
37 Malt brew
39 Bud's sibling
40 Droop
42 Mariner's direction
44 Steamer (ab.)
45 Jellylike material
47 Greek letter
49 Biblical mountain
53 Bother
55 Open to public perusal
56 Card game
57 Confectionery
58 Privations

DOWN

1 Joyous
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3 Musteline mammals
4 Biblical name
5 Present month (ab.)
6 Perfume
7 Entangle
8 Donkey (comb. form)
9 Vigor
10 Likenesses
11 Devoured
12 American wild plum
19 School of whales
22 Musical dramas
24 Challenge
25 Milkmaid's seat (pl.)
27 Ending of a prayer
29 City in Latvia
31 Employs
35 Freebooter
36 Loiter behind
38 Compound ethers
39 Mere trifle
41 Coupled
43 Emaciate
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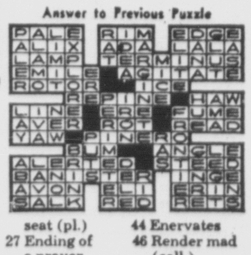

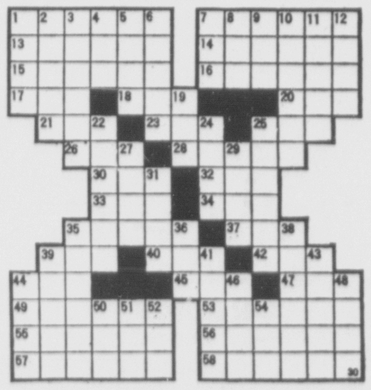

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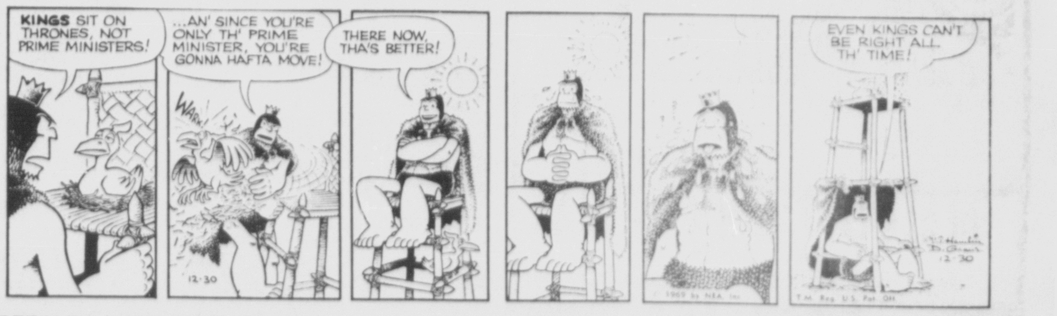

BEETLE BAILEY by Mort Walker

Size of Drinker Factor In Rate of Intoxication

CHICAGO (AP) — A 180-pound man might drink five bottles of beer before he gets drunk, but three bottles would do it to a 120-pounder.

The heftier man might drink five shots of whiskey before falling "under the influence," but four would do for the little one.

And all holiday drinkers should remember that even the "average" drink has a mind-dulling effect for an hour after it is consumed.

These are among the guidelines for drinkers set forth by the American Medical Association and the National Safety Council in a new campaign to teach drinkers how long the effect of a drink lasts and what it does to their driving ability.

They believe the campaign is a more realistic approach toward drunken driving. More than 25,000 of the 55,200 automobile fatalities in 1968 involved alcohol consumption, and the organizations concede that past campaigns urging drivers not to drink at all have had little effect.

The council and the AMA have prepared charts relating drinks and body size to the degree of intoxication.

Most states consider a person with a 0.15 per cent concentration of alcohol in the blood to be "under the influence." But some states, federal agencies, the AMA, and the Safety Council recommend that a person with a 0.10 per cent alcohol concentration in his blood be presumed "under the influence."

Among popular alcoholic drinks, beer contains the lowest percentage of alcohol while whiskey and rum have the highest, but—because of the size of the drink—cocktails such as martinis and manhattans are the most intoxicating.

A 120-pound drinker reaches the 0.10 per cent concentration level with slightly more than three bottles of beer. The 180-pound drinker would have to consume five bottles to reach that limit.

The 120-pound whiskey drinker would reach the 0.10 per cent level with less than four one-ounce shots. The 180-pound drinker could have five.

One and a half martinis or manhattans would bring the 120-pound drinker to the 0.10 limit. Just over two would bring the 180-pounder to that level.

If a driver doesn't follow the ideal course of total abstention, the two groups suggest:

—Drink in a way that will keep you from being under the influence when driving.

Neosho Names City Manager

NEOSHO, Mo. (AP) - Randelle J. Hayes, 57, will become city manager at Neosho Jan. 6, according to Mayor Wayne C. Insco.

Hayes, city manager at Chanute, Kan., from 1957 until last summer, will replace William Christopher who submitted his resignation early in December. Christopher announced he will return to a post he formerly held as assistant city manager in Westminster, Colo.

Hayes told the Neosho City Counsil he had been in Chanute 12 years and felt it was time for a change in that community. He began as city manager in Wray, Colo., in 1946, and later served as city manager in Colby and Augusta, Kan., before going to Chanute.

Car Stolen at Charleston

CHARLESTON - A 1966 yellow Mustang was reported stolen Friday night from the used car lot at the Courtesy Ford Company, Dewey Boyd, manager, reported to police.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — New crop corn futures were sharply higher in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade Tuesday.

On the opening, wheat was unchanged to ½ cent a bushel higher, March 1.47¾; corn was ½ lower to 7/8 cent higher, March 1.20¾; oats were unchanged to 1/8 lower, March 63¼ cents, rye was unchanged to ¼ lower, May 1.15 5/8 and soybeans were ¼ to ½ higher, Jauary 2.47¼.

OBITUARIES

MRS. WILLIE GRISSOM

CHARLESTON - Mrs. Willie Lee Grissom, an elderly resident of route three, died at 7:30 p.m. Sunday in her home following a two-month illness.

Mrs. Grissom was born in McComb City, Miss., and had lived in rural Charleston 45 years. She was a member of Olive Grove Baptist Church and a member of Heroines of Jericho Lodge.

The former Ena Turner married Mr. Grissom in November of 1935. He survives. Other survivors are two stepdaughters, Mrs. Margie Williams, Charleston, and Miss Lurlee Grissom, Jr., East St. Louis; a brother, Fred Turner, Summit, Miss., 11 grandchildren, 10 great - grandchildren, and four great - great - grandchildren.

The body is at Sparks Funeral Home.

BRINKLEY SMITH

EAST PRAIRIE - Brinkley Smith, 84, a retired farmer of rural East Prairie, died at 1:45 p.m. Friday afternoon in his home following an illness.

Smith was born June 26, 1885 in Trenton, Tenn., and had lived in Mississippi County since 1942. He was a member and a deacon at Mount Eria Baptist Church. He was a member of Rough Ash Masonic lodge of Charleston.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Rosie Lee Smith; two daughters, Mrs. Eva Mae Lomack and Mrs. Pauline Williams, both of Freemont, Ohio; three sons, Elmer Smith, Washington D. C., Issac Smith, Freemont, and J. C. Smith, at the home; seven grandchildren, and eight great - grandchildren.

Services were Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. in Mercy Seat Baptist Church in Charleston with the Rev. H. L. Talver, pastor of Mount Eria Church, officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery in Charleston with Sparks Funeral Home of Charleston in charge.

Rough Ash lodge conducted graveside rites.

LUCY FOLLOWELL

BLOOMFIELD - Mrs. Lucy Janet Young Followell, 83, died Sunday at 9:10 a.m. in a Cape Girardeau hospital.

She was born Jan. 10, 1886, in Bloomfield, and lived her entire life in Stoddard county.

Mrs. Followell was married July 16, 1905, to Ira Martin Young who died June 23, 1955. In July, 1958, she married Wm. Followell, who died in November of 1958.

Mrs. Followell is survived by one son, Everett Young, Bloomfield; four daughters, Mrs. Ethel Kelley, Mrs. Ollie Hester, Mrs. Edna Moore and Mrs. Edith Hester, all of Bloomfield; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Delia Pope, Cape Girardeau; 18 grandchildren and 29 great - grandchildren.

The body is at the Chiles - Cooper Funeral Home. Services were Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the funeral home by the Rev. W. Foster and the Rev. Robert Hollands. Burial was in the Mt. Zion General Baptist Church Cemetery, Walker.

BERT D. STARR

MOREHOUSE - Bert D. Starr, 57 - year - old retired farmer and resident of near Morehouse, died Saturday at his home on Route one, Sikeston.

Born at Wild Cherry, Ark., Oct. 31, 1912, he moved to Missouri 42 years ago.

Among the survivors are six children: Mrs. Geraldine Buckley, Sikeston; Doyle and Don Starr, both of Route 1, Sikeston; Mrs. Sue Butrum, Bell City; Mrs. Fredia Heath, Decatur, Ill., and Harold Starr, Gary, Ind. There are seven grandchildren.

Also remaining are two brothers, Tom Starr of Pontiac, Mich., and Lofton Starr, San Jacinto, Calif., and four sisters, Mrs. Goldie Moore and Mrs. Willie Montgomery, both of Malden; Mrs. Zelma Ward, Holcomb, and Mrs. Rebecca McFarland, Sacramento, Calif.

Services were at 1 p.m. Tuesday in the Watkins & Sons Funeral Chapel. The Rev. Bill Meeks, Bertrand, officiated and burial was in the Pine City cemetery near Holcomb.

VIRGIL MEDLOCK

DEXTER - Virgil Utah (Bill) Medlock, 51, a farm implement salesman, died Sunday evening at Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

Medlock, a life-long resident of Dexter, was born on May 19, 1918. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, and the General Baptist church. On Nov. 13, 1937, he married Goldie Killian, who survives.

He is also survived by a son, Ted Medlock of route one, Charleston; one daughter, Mrs. Phil Tatum of Ironton; one grandchild; a brother, A. R. Medlock of Denver, and two sisters, Mrs. Harley Williams of Bloomfield and Mrs. Enoch Johnson of Petoskey, Mich.

Services will be at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Rainey Funeral Chapel. The Rev. W. R. Elledge will officiate and burial will be in the Dexter cemetery.

Visitation began at noon Tuesday at the funeral home.

TOM HENRY FRALEY

Tom Henry Fraley, 71, resident of 823 Matthews St., died in Missouri Delta Community hospital at 10:30 a.m. Monday.

He was born Feb. 28, 1898 in Perry, Tenn., was a retired employe of E. C. Robinson Lumber Company and a member of Emanuel Baptist church.

He was married Mar. 8, 1918, to Jimmie Della White. She survives.

Other survivors include two sons, James of St. Louis and Jerry Fraley of Sikeston; two daughters, Mrs. Wilson Staggs of Sikeston and Mrs. A. J. Nelson of Nashville,; one foster daughter, Mrs. Mary Roberts of St. Louis; one brother, Willis of Clifton, Tenn.; three sisters, Mrs. Sallie Hinton of Collinwood, Tenn.; Mrs. Cora Bartley of Waynesburg, Tenn.; and Mrs. Lula Short of Kokomo, Ind.; eight grandchildren, six great - grandchildren and three foster grandchildren.

Frienda may call after 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Jackson Funeral Home.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Jackson Chapel with the Rev. Cecil Adams officiating.

Burial will be in Garden of Memories cemetery.

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Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
1st Nt. Bk. of Sik.	5¾	6½
Anheuser Busch	72¾	73¼
Ark Mo Power	12¾	13½
Calverts Explor	4¾	5¼
Frontier Tower	2	2½
Hamilton Cosco	12¾	
Olson Bros.	3	3½
Malone & Hyde	19	19½
Mo Beef Packers	26¼	
Pabst Brewing	45	45½
R. H. Medical	16½	17½
Wetterau	24¼	25
LISTED STOCKS		
Airlift Int.		2
Allied Stores		28½
Amer Tel & Tel		49¼
Chrysler		33¾
Columbia Gas		25½
Eaton Mfg.		39
Ford Motors		41½
New Eng. Elec.		21¾
Transogram		13¼

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

Five Most Active Stocks

The Dow- Jones Industrials at noon were down .59 on volume of 5,860,000 hares.

US Plywood	31 3/8	— 7/8
Occ.	24 1/8	— 5/8
Texaco	29 7/8	— 1/2
Tex Gulf Sul.	21 1/8	— 1/8
Gen. Mot.	68 7/8	+ 1/4

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

AT & T	49 1/8
Anheuser Busch	72 ¾ b
Ark-Mo Power	12 7/8 b
Banff Oil	10½
Chrysler	33 7/8
Ford	41 5/8
General Motors	68 7/8
Butler Nat.	11½ b
Perini	6½ b
Transamerica	25¼
Transogram	13¾
Zapata Norness	36
Evans Prod	39½
Keystone Ind.	9 3/8

These prices were provided at approximately 12 Noon today by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, 151 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. You can call TOLL-FREE for quotes or other information by dialing 1-800-392- 3430.

Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) - Estimates for Wednesday: hogs 5,000; cattle 1,000; calves 50; sheep 500.

Hogs 7,500; barrows and gilts 75 to 1.25 lower; u.s. 1-2 150 head 200-220 lbs 28.75; u.s. 1-3 200-230 lbs 28.00-28.50; 230-250 lbs 27.50-28.00; u.s. 2-3 240-270 lbs 26.75-27.50; u.s. 2-4 260-280 lbs 25.00-26.00; 280-300 lbs 24.00-25.00; 300-350 lbs 23.25 - 24.00; u.s. 1-2 170-180 lbs 26.25.

Cattle 2,000; calves 50; slaughter steers; choice 950-1,050 lbs 28.25-29.00; 1,050- 1,200 lbs 27.50-28.50; mixed good and choice 950-1,050 lbs 27.25-28.50; slaughter heifers; choice 900-975 lbs 27.75; 750-1,000 lbs 27.25 - 27.50; mixed good and choice vealers 38.00-40.00; good 32.00-36.00.

Sheep 800; slaughter lambs; choice 90-105 lbs 28.00-29.00; slaughter ewes good and choice 6.50-7.00.

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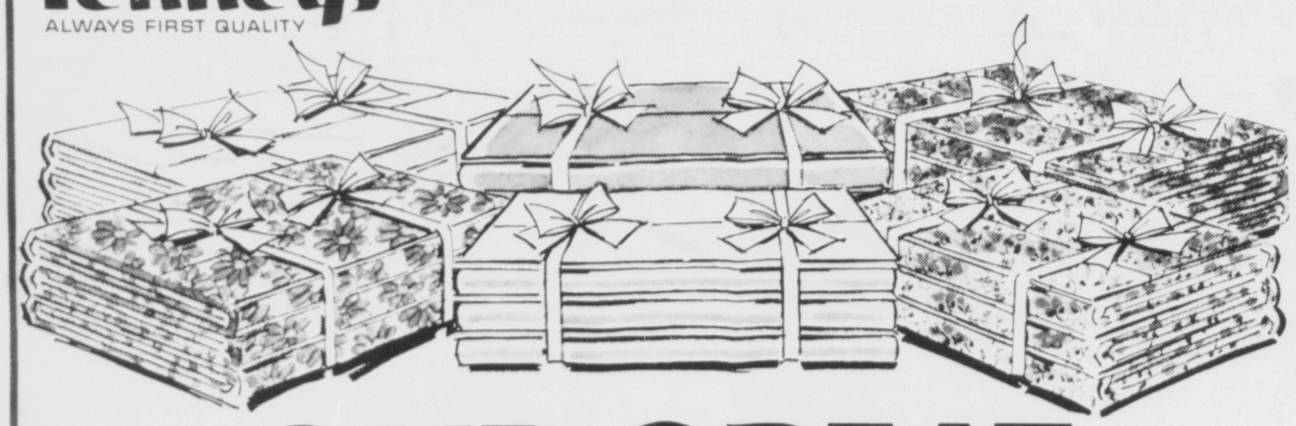

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